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I.—Area, Population, etc., in 1921.

Locality.	Area in square miles.	Number of Towns.	Number of Village.	Number of Occupied houses.	Population. 1921. Total.	Population. 1921. Males.	Population. 1921. Females.	Population (both sexes). 1911.	Population (both sexes). 1901.	Percentage of variation (of population). 1901–1911.	Percentage of variation (of population). 1911–1921.	Density of population per square mile, 1921.
DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION.												
Sivaganga	* 1,738	3	650	39,379	202,996	95,166	107,830	197,289	185,170	+ 6·8	+ 2·9	258
Tiruppattur (a)	...	3	420	48,849	235,030	109,123	125,907	228,047	209,036	+ 9·1	+ 3·1	...
Tiruvadanai (a)	...	2	811	32,738	163,180	75,027	88,153	158,266	155,346	+ 2·2	+ 3·1	...
RĀMNĀD DIVISION.												
Aruppukkottai (a)	...	3	381	40,989	217,310	105,995	111,315	204,938	166,769	+ 12·3	+ 6·0	...
Mudukulattur (a)	...	2	409	30,844	161,398	75,247	86,151	157,241	146,255	+ 9·0	+ 2·6	...
Paramagudi (a)	...	2	378	28,061	150,520	68,977	81,543	151,788	142,665	+ 6·5	− 0·8	...
Rāmnād	† 2,090	3	157	25,686	122,555	56,331	66,224	126,348	112,851	+ 11·9	+ 3·0	390
SIVAKASI DIVISION.												
Sattur	575	3	228	54,052	247,771	122,521	125,250	241,593	220,082	+ 12·4	+ 2·6	431
Srivilliputtur	440	4	71	47,692	221,077	110,282	110,845	201,947	181,030	+ 11·6	+ 9·5	502
Total ...	4,888	25	3,505	348,240	1,721,837	818,619	903,218	1,667,457	1,519,204	+ 9·1	+ 3·3	356

* Includes the area of Tiruppattur.

† Includes the areas of Aruppukottai, Mudukulattur, Paramagudi and Tiruvadanai.

This district was constituted from the 1st June in 1910. G.O. No 399, Public, 23rd May 1910.

(a) The Director of Surveys reports that the Survey of these taluks has not been completed and it is therefore not possible to furnish their areas now.

II.—Variation in Population since 1891.

Towns.	Population.			Percentage of variation of population.		
	1921.	1911.	1901.	1891-1901	1901-1911.	1911-1921.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
The whole district ..	1,721,837	1,667,457	1,527,735	4·6	+ 9·1	+ 3·3
DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION.						
Sivaganga Taluk.						
Manamadura ..	6,527	5,184	5,032	25·8	3·0	+ 25·9
Sivaganga ..	9,766	9,689	9,097	3·2	6·5	+ 0·8
Tiruppuvanam ...	7,214	6,154	5,848	7·2	5 2	17·2
Tiruppattur Taluk.						
Karaikkudi	15,350	14,648	11,801	79 3	24·1	5·0
Kandanur	15,618	14,597	12,800	58·3	14 3	7·0
Tiruppattur ...	9,687	9,399	5,941	7·9	59·8	3·06
Tiruvadanai Taluk.						
Devakottai	16,143	13,329	9,503	− 4·2	40 2	21·1
Tondi	7,162	6,577	6,204	3·03	6·0	8·8
RĀMNĀD DIVISION.						
Aruppukkottai Taluk.						
Aruppukkottai ..	31,579	26,681	23,633	86·4	12 8	18·3
Palaiyampatti ...	6,078	5,805	4, 67	− 5 5	16 8	4·7
Pandalgudi	6,029	6,179	6,192	16 0	− ·20	− 2·4
Mudakulattur Taluk.						
Abiramam	8,265	8,087	7,338	11·4	10·2	2·2
Kamudi . ..	8,356	7,967	6,854	5·7	16·2	4·8
Rāmnād Taluk.						
Kilakkarai	6,034	15,145	11,078	−10·6	36·7	−60·1
Rameswaram ...	7,582	10,612	6,632	93·6	60·0	−28·5
Rāmnād	15,251	16,513	14,546	6·8	13 5	− 7·4
Paramagudi Taluk.						
Ilayangudi	11,147	10,633	8,884	5 6	20·2	4·3
Paramagudi	19,437	18,794	16,134	61·3	16·4	3·4
SIVAKASI DIVISION.						
Sattur Taluk.						
Sattur	8,582	6,396	7,870	172·6	−18·7	34·1
Sivakasi*	14,617	14,022	13,021	6 8	7·6	4·2
Virudunagar* ...	21,821	21,355	16 837	19·6	26·8	2·1
Srivilliputtur Taluk.						
Rajapalayam ...	33,184	28,412	25,360	90·6	12·0	16 8
Settur	11,751	14,208	14,328	13 5	− 0·8	−17·2
Srivilliputtur* ..	31,195	29,066	26,382	28 0	10·1	7·3
Watrap.	8,346	8,062	13,131	76·8	−38·6	3·5

* Represents a Municipality.

III.—Roads.

Year.		Mileage of roads maintained.		
		Total.	Metalled.	Unmetalled.
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)
1911-12		562¼	525¼	37
1925-26.				
Trunk Roads handed over to Public Works Department.		...	...	...
Maintained by the District Board		572¾	537¾	35
Do. Taluk and Union Boards.		60½	29⅝	30⅞
MUNICIPALITIES.				
Maintained by Sivakasi ...	Trunk Roads.	...	...	...
	Other Roads	6½	6½	...
Do. Srivilliputtur	Trunk Roads.			...
	Other Roads.	17½	9	8½
Do. Virudhunagar	Trunk Roads.	1⅝	1⅝	...
	Other Roads.	21	21	...

NOTE.—The District was constituted in 1910.

IV.—Travellers' Bungalows.

Serial number.	Taluks and stations.	By whom maintained.	Nearest railway station, if any, and the distance from it.	Nature of accommodation.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
	DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION.			
	1. *Sivaganga Taluk.*			
1	Manamadura I ..	District Board.	Manamadura, 6 furlongs.	One central hall, two verandahs, two kitchens, two small rooms for bathing purposes, two stables. A thatched shed in front to serve as a motor shed. Two bath tubs available. Furnished. Has a good well.
	(NOTE.—Two days stay at a time is permissible.)			
2	Sivaganga I .	District Board.	Manamadura, 12 miles.	Two central halls, two bath rooms, one dressing room, two kitchens, a thatched shed, two stables and a tiled motor shed. Two bath tubs available. Furnished. There is a well.
3	*Kalayarkoil I...	Estate Collector, Sivaganga.	Manamadura, 23 miles.	Tiled. One central hall, one bath room, one room, three verandahs. A thatched shed for motor. One bath tub available. Furnished. Good well water.
4	*Tiruppuvanam I.	Do.	Tiruppuvanam, 2 furlongs.	One central hall, three verandahs. one store room with watchman, two rooms with almirahs, two bath rooms, three kitchens, a stable and motor shed. One bath tub. Furnished. Good well water
	2. *Tiruppattur Taluk.*			
5	Managiri I ...	District Board.	Manamadura, 43 miles.	One hall, two dressing rooms, two bath rooms, a front and rear verandah, one room for servants, two stables, a motor shed. Furnished. Well water is not good.
6	* Sakkattai I .	Estate Collector, Sivaganga.	Arantangi (Tanjore District . 14 miles.	Terraced, two halls, tiled verandahs in front and rear, two dressing rooms, two bath rooms, one matey room, two kitchens, one motor shed, stables can be used as garage, bath tubs. Furnished. Good well water available.

* Estate officers have preference. The occupier must vacate on two hours notice.

I or II placed after each bungalow indicates the class to which it belongs for purposes of rent.

IV.—Travellers' Bungalows—cont.

Serial number.	Taluks and stations.	By whom maintained.	Nearest railway station, if any, and the distance from it.	Nature of accommodation.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
	DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION—*cont.*			
	2. *Tiruppattur Taluk*—cont			
7	*Tirukoshtiyur ...	Estate Collector, Sivaganga.	Manamadura, 27 miles.	Terraced. Two halls, a tiled verandah in front and rear, two dressing rooms, two bath rooms with bath tubs, one matey room, two kitchens, stables which may be used as a garage. Furnished. Good well water.
8	Tiruppattur I ..	District Board.	Manamadura, 43 miles.	One hall in the centre with two side rooms and two bath rooms, one bath tub and a stable used as motor shed. Furnished. There is a well.
	3. *Tiruvadanai Taluk.*			
9	*Kandadivi I ...	Estate Collector, Sivaganga.	Manamadura. 44 miles	Terraced, two halls, two rooms, two kitchens, and two bath tubs. Stables may be used as a garage. Furnished. Has good well water.
10	*Tiruvegampet I	Do.	Manamadura, 34 miles	One hall, two rooms, two kitchens and a thatched motor shed. No bath tub. Furnished Water can be had from some distance.
11	Tiruvadanai I ...	District Board.	Manamadura, 44 miles.	One hall, two rooms, two kitchens, two bath tubs, and a motor shed. Front and rear verandahs, one servants' room, two stables. Furnished. Well water not good.
12	Tondi I	District Board	Manamadura, 52 miles.	One hall, two rooms, two kitchens, two bath tubs, one motor shed, a front and rear verandah, one servants' room. Furnished. Well water not good.
	RĀMNĀD DIVISION.			
	1. *Aruppukkottai Taluk.*			
13	Kariapatti I	District Board	Madura, 18 miles.	Two sets of accommodation. Two bath tubs and one motor shed, two rooms, two kitchens, one hall, one servants' room. Furnished.

* The Estate officers have preference. The occupier must vacate on two hours notice.

IV.—Travellers' Bungalows—*cont.*

Serial number. (1)	Taluks and stations. (2)	By whom maintained. (3)	Nearest railway station, if any, and the distance from it. (4)	Nature of accommodation. (5)
	RAMNAD DIVISION—*cont.*			
	1. *Aruppukkottai Taluk*—cont.			
14	Palayampatti I.	District Board.	Virudhunagar, 13½ miles.	Three buildings. Accommodation for two sets in each and a motor shed, one hall, one dressing room, a bath room with a bath tub, one kitchen, one servants room, two stables Furnished.
15	Thiruchuli II ...	Public Works, Department.	Virudhunagar, 20 miles.	Tiled building. One set of accommodation, one tin bath tub and motor shed. Three main rooms, a dressing room, one side room, used as bed and bath room, a store room Furnished, good well water.
	2 *Mudukulattur Taluk.*			
16	Mudukulattur I.	District Board	Paramagudi, 16 miles	Two kitchens and two bath rooms. Two bath tubs and motor shed available. One hall, two dressing rooms, a front and rear verandah, a servants' room, two stables. Furnished Well water not good.
	3. *Paramagudi Taluk.*			
17	Paramagudi I ..	District Board.	Paramagudi, about 1 mile.	Can accommodate a married couple with children. No motor shed. Two kitchens, two bath rooms, one hall, two dressing rooms, a servants' room, two bath tubs. Furnished. Well water not drinkable.
	4. *Rāmnād Taluk.*			
18	Pamban I ...	District Board.	Pamban, 2 furlongs.	Can accommodate two travellers. Each set has one hall, a dressing room, a bath room with verandahs, one kitchen, one servants' quarters; no stables Furnished.
19	Rāmnād I	District Board.	Rāmnād, about 1 furlong.	Can accommodate two travellers. Two bath tubs. No motor shed. Each set has one hall, one dressing room, one bath room with servants' room. Furnished. Well water.

IV.—Travellers' Bungalows—*cont.*

Serial number.	Taluks and stations.	By whom maintained.	Nearest railway station, if any, and the distance from it.	Nature of accommodation.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
	SIVAKASI DIVISION			
	1. *Sattur Taluk.*			
20	Sattur I	District Board.	Sattur, 6 furlongs.	Two sets of rooms with bath rooms. Each set has a hall, one bed room, one bath room with bath tub, a servants' room, one kitchen, two tiled motor sheds. Furnished.
21	Virudhunagar II.	Municipality	Virudhunagar, about a mile.	Two halls, two bath rooms with verandahs all round, two kitchens with verandah in front, two bath tubs and motor shed and garage. Furnished. Well water not good.
	2. *Srivilliputtur Taluk.*			
22	Pudupalayam I. (Rajapalaiyam)	District Board.	Rajapalaiyam. 2 furlongs	Two kitchens, two bath rooms, one hall and store room. Two bath tubs and motor shed, a front and rear verandah. Furnished. Well water not good.
23	Watrap I ...	Do.	Srivilliputtur, 12 miles.	One hall, two kitchens, two bath rooms, two bed rooms, one store room, one motor shed, two bath tubs, a front and rear verandah, a servants' room, two stables. Furnished. Well water not good.
24	Srivilliputtur I.	Municipality.	Sattur, 25 miles.	Three tiled kitchens, two terraced bath rooms, three bed rooms, two halls, two store rooms, two bath tubs and motor shed. Furnished. One spring well.
25	Athithondu II . (Elevation, 675 ft.).	Forest Department.	Sattur, 29 miles; Srivilliputtur, 7 miles.	Tiled. Three rooms, two bath rooms with bath tubs, kitchen, one stable for two horses, one well, one latrine. *three servants' rooms. No motor shed. Furnished. Well water. A car can reach the bungalow in dry season.

* The servants' rooms intended only to be used by Forest Subordinates.

IV.—Travellers' Bungalows—*cont.*

Serial number.	Taluks and stations.	By whom maintained.	Nearest railway station, if any, and the distance from it.	Nature of accommodation.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
	SIVAKASI DIVISION—*cont.*			
	Srivilliputtur Taluk—cont.			
26	Mudaliaruthu II. (Elevation, 4,000 ft.)	Forest Department.	Srivilliputtur, 20 miles.	Tiled. Two rooms, one bath room and one bath tub. One out-house with kitchen and two stables. No motor shed. Furnished. Can be reached from Athithondu by bridle-path, 13 miles.
27	Mudangiyar II...	Do.	Rajapalaiyam, 4 miles.	Tiled. Two rooms two bath rooms, one kitchen, and two stables for two horses, and a well. One of the above stables can be utilized as motor shed. One bath tub also available. Furnished. Motorable in the dry season.
28	Pudupatti II ...	Do.	Srivilliputtur, 14 miles.	Tiled. Two rooms, two bath rooms, one kitchen, two stables for two horses (one of which can be used as motor shed), one well, three servants' rooms and one bath tub available. Motorable in the dry season.

NOTE.—Charges per diem of 24 hours or less are as given below; for halt of six hours or less, half the rates will be charged:—

Bungalows marked I are charged at Re. 1 for an adult and Rs. 1-8-0 for a married couple.

Bungalows marked II are charged at As. 8 for an adult and As. 12 for a married couple.

V.—Religions in 1921.

Taluks.	Hindus.			Mussalmans.			Christians.			Others.		
	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total.	Males	Females.	Total	Males	Females.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
Devakottai Division.												
Sivaganga	184,594	86,702	97,892	6,580	2,949	3,631	11,817	5,512	6,305	5	3	2
Tiruppattūr	218,711	101,270	117,441	10,133	5,023	5,110	6,186	2,830	3,356	...	...	...
Tiruvādānai	123,952	57,919	66,033	19,039	7,620	11,419	20,189	9,488	10,701	...	...	...
Ramnad Division.												
Aruppukkōṭṭai	204,565	100,069	104,496	5,853	2,493	3,360	6,892	3,433	3,459	...	...	...
Mudukulattūr	131,960	62,967	68,993	18,417	6,940	11,477	11,021	5,340	5,681	...	...	...
Paramagudi	125,530	58,450	67,080	15,084	5,815	9,269	9,906	4,712	5,194	...	...	...
Rāmnād	84,519	40,964	43,555	33,597	13,222	20,375	4,439	2,145	2,294	...	...	...
Sivakasi Division.												
Sāttūr	235,499	116,500	118,999	4,410	1,963	2,447	7,854	4,050	3,804	8	8	...
Srivilliputtūr	211,236	105,449	105,787	3,043	1,479	1,564	6,808	3,304	3,494	...	...	...
District total ...	1,520,566	730,290	790,276	116,156	47,504	68,652	85,803	40,814	44,288	13	11	2

VI.—Vital Statistics.

Taluks.	Ratio per 1,000 of population of																			
	Births.										Deaths.									
	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922	1923.	1924.	1925.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)
DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION.	(a)										(a)									
Sivaganga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	18	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	11	20
Tiruppattur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	20	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	13	26
Tiruvadanai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	20	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	14	22
RĀMNĀD DIVISION.																				
Aruppukottai ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	30	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	21	25
Mudukulattur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	33	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	18	24
Paramakudi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	33	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	15	23
Rāmnād	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	31	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	17	28
SIVAKASI DIVISION.																				
Sattur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	35	38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	26	29
Srivilliputtur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	34	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	23	25
MUNICIPALITIES.																				
Sivakasi	36·9	33·4	27·2	26·8	19·8	26·1	25·5	25·7	28·0	35·7	19·4	25·0	28·4	26·6	11·7	15·4	16·4	19·7	19·4	22·7

Srivilliputtur ...	43·8	43·6	40·8	34·3	40·0	32·8	34·7	40·61	40·71	39·62	26·8	26·9	41·4	33·0	26·6	22·2	22·0	26·54	31·60	30·99
Virudhunagar ...	40·4	43·3	39·4	38·5	40·5	34·9	25·0	38·04	39·46	42·67	27·3	34·4	46·1	38·0	30·5	40·3	37·7	34·06	30·93	36·62
TOWN CIRCLES.																				
Abiramam	23·0	26·8	26·5	39·8	38·0	20·4	28·4	24	37	37	19·8	16·8	55·4	24·9	21·4	9·9	15·2	15	19	27
Aruppukottai ...	37·6	35·2	17·6	35·2	38·8	24·3	30·8	32	37	30	24·9	27·9	14·2	22·8	29·1	17·8	18·8	18	30	30
Devakottai	12·8	10·7	10·9	10·2	7·9	2·5	11·0	7	27	19	12·1	12·7	18·8	14·3	9·2	7·9	15·4	8	22	24
Ilavangudi	15·7	13·5	8·3	14·9	10·8	22·2	24·3	22	32	28	9·9	17·2	14·5	11·2	8·9	14·0	11·2	14	27	34
Kamudi	11·5	7·7	5·3	8·2	20·2	13·5	39·9	13	16	20	4·8	1·3	7·9	5·6	14·8	11·5	16·2	8	18	10
Kandanur		...	..	..				15	22	20	.		..	..	...	...	..	12	23	22
Karaikudi	18·8	23·1	21·2	21·4	24·0	16·2	22·7	15	26	26	16·9	15·4	27·4	27·4	20·0	7·9	21·0	19	23	33
Kilakarai	32·0	29·4	24·9	28·1	29·2	59·5	71·1	72	64	74	13·1	17·8	39·2	19·0	31·4	68·8	57·7	49	38	56
Manamadura ...	34·4	38·0	24·3	34·3	38·0	24·1	26·5	35	30	27	17·6	23·9	31·1	23·9	26·8	19·0	22·5	20	17	22
Palayampatti ...	..	...	.	...	..	...	..	35	30	33	..		...	...	.	...	...	22	29	31
Pandalkudi	..			...	...	10·1	6·1	12·3	20·1	18·1		..	..	...	.	7·4	4·6	4·6	12·9	15·6
Paramakudi .	35·4	34·6	35·0	29·0	27·8	28·1	38·1	37	38	36	19·9	46·2	35·4	28·7	21·3	24·4	27·9	20	27	21
Rajapalayam ..	20·6	17·5	0·8	10·9	15·6	9·3	19·6	44	47	41	13·1	10·5	0·7	7·8	7·1	4·2	8·4	20	24	22
Rameswaram ...	18·2	14·0	14·3	19·2	18·9	27·6	31·9	35	33	38	20·1	17·8	19·1	32·3	31·6	48·7	33·2	30	37	44
Ramnad	43·1	38·8	32·0	32·4	29·2	38·2	41·1	32	31	37	26·5	40·5	40·9	30·5	24·5	31·7	31·7	23	24	39
Sattar	32·4	26·7	19·1	37·7	38·1	28·9	23·5	36	46	48	23·5	29·2	36·3	51·0	27·5	27·0	27·5	17	24	28
Settur	21·5	20·6	21·8	17·0	14·0	16·8	24·3	39	34	38	10·3	12·8	34·0	14·8	7·4	8·7	12·5	33	46	40
Sivaganga	23·0	30·4	22·9	21·4	17·6	16·5	14·8	29	20	27	23·9	28·0	32·5	25·5	20·2	20·7	24·7	20	22	35
Tirupattur	12·9	16·7	19·6	25·2	20·4	18·8	20·1	16	26	32	10·0	8·8	28·7	19·3	18·5	12·6	15·5	14	18	35
Tiruppuvanam ...	36·4	35·7	29·6	32·3	33·0	26·5	35·5	32	32	34	21·3	33·3	35·9	27·1	25·2	28·3	38·7	22	25	33
Tondi	...			.		18·7	26·5	20·2	23·9	22·5		..	.	...	...	16·9	18·2	18·4(a)	24·9	36·2
Watrap	22·7	25·2	35·6	34·4	48·8	38·2	21·2	32	32	37	18·0	13·4	35·7	41·1	23·8	20·5	19·5	20	22	23
District total ...	...	...	...	...	...	18·4	23·1	24·2	28·5	27·8	...	...	...	...	...	13·5	16·3	16·5	20·4	24·2

(a) Figures not available.

VII.—Causes of Death.

(Average of statistics for the five years ending 1925.)

Taluks.	Ratio of deaths per 1,000 of population from						
	Cholera.	Smallpox.	Plague.	Fever.	Dysentery and diarrhœa.	All other cases.	Total.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION.							
Sivaganga	2·23	0·25	...	5·86	1·40	3·47	13·21
Tiruppattur	1·83	0·05	...	4 20	2·10	6·79	14·97
Tiruvadānai	2 40	0·29	.	5·90	1·40	4·80	14·79
RAMNAD DIVISION.							
Aruppukkottai	1·23	0·03	0·43	7·40	1·86	8 28	19·23
Mudukulattur	1·23	0·22	.	8 06	2·35	5·13	17·00
Paramagudi	2·36	0·19	...	7·30	2·00	4·80	16·65
Rāmnad	2·53	0·10	...	7·43	2·27	7·23	20·56
SIVAKASI DIVISION.							
Sattur	1 73	0·18	...	5·37	2 00	14·33	24·61
Srivilliputtur	1·93	0·50	.	5·30	1·16	12·67	21·56
MUNICIPALITIES.							
Sivakasi	1·20	0·04	0·02	8 10	2·26	5 42	17·14
Srivilliputtur	0·71	.		4·40	3·01	17·88	26·00
Virudhunagar	1·04	1·68	1·71	5·55	5·06	8·06	23·10
TOWN CIRCLES.							
Abiramam	0·60	.		1 88	0·02	13·18	15·68
Aruppukkottai	1·80	0·46	1·82	4·12	1 72	11·62	21·54
Dēvakottai	1·80	0 48	...	2·92	0·88	8·80	14·88
Ilayangudi	3·38	0 12	...	3·64	2·44	4·78	14 28
Kamudhi	2·44	0·12	...	4·12	0 48	5·40	12·56
Kondanoor...	...	...	...	2·00	2 00	12·00	16·00
Karaikudi	1·22	0 92	...	2·64	2·54	14 50	21·82
Kilakarai	1·80	0 32	...	16·78	2·76	27·34	49·00
Manamadura	1·20	0·12		5·80	0·98	9 00	17·10
Palayampatti	0·02	0 06	0·02	2·60	1·11	6·80	10·61
Pandalgudi	0 74			5·84	1·06	0·76	8·40
Paramagudi*	1·40	1·44	..	2 90	2 90	9·00	17·64
Rajapalaiyam	0·60	0·12	2 14	6 74	0 94	5 58	16·12
Ramaswaram	1 70	0·70		10·06	2·76	19·78	35·00
Ramnad	3 72	1 32	0 06	4·22	2·24	14 18	25·74
Sattur	4·28	0·24	0 14	5·78	2 78	20·08	33·30
Seitur	1 20	0·04	...	6·78	4 44	7·38	19·84
Sivanganga	1·80	0 28	..	5·78	2 40	9·68	19·94
Tiruppattur	2·54	0·28	...	3 00	2·34	6 48	14·64
Tirupuvanam	5·52	0 22	0·81	8 82	1·76	11·06	28·22
Tondi	4·3	0·7	..	3·0	0·32	13 12	22·44
Watrap	0·18	0 52	...	1·84	1·28	14 58	18 40
Total for the district ...	1·1	0·3	·08	6·1	1 6	9 0	18·1

NOTE.—Average of statistics only for three years ending 1925 are given for taluks.

VIII.—Castes, Tribes and Races in 1921.

Caste, tribe or race.	Strength		
	Males.	Females.	Total.
I.—Hindu and Animist Castes.			
(a) Tamil.			
Agamudaiyan	47,409	48,308	95,717
Ambalakaran	2,167	4,129	6,296
Ambattan	7,005	7,002	14,007
Andi	3,231	3,095	6,326
Brahman	17,201	18,442	35,643
Chetti	22,761	28,195	50,956
Idaiyan	57,889	65,135	123,024
Iluvan	5,421	6,021	11,442
Kaikolan	3,805	4,539	8,344
Kallan	20,543	24,864	45,407
Kammalan	27,359	27,316	54,675
Kuravan	2 400	1,972	4,372
Kurumban	916	966	1,882
Kusavan	8,545	8,252	16,797
Maravan	72,928	73,926	146,854
Nadar	53,665	58,856	112,521
Nattaman	4,330	6,137	10,467
Pallan	75,679	82,109	157,788
Palli	4,691	5,657	10,348
Pandaram	3,759	3,526	7,285
Paraiyan	30,311	34,265	64,576
Valaiyan	38,510	42,090	80,600
Vaniyan	3,842	4,251	8,093
Vannan	8,773	9,752	18,525
Vellala	49,346	53,842	103,188
(b) Telugu.			
Balija	12,453	11,928	24,381
Brahman	2,072	2,355	4,427
Chakkiliyan	15,289	16,345	31,634
Chetti (Telugu)	1,121	934	2,055
Devanga	8,916	9,626	18,542
Kamma	24,751	28,098	52,849
Kammalan	2,496	2,709	5,205
Kapu	12,834	13,698	26,532
Salēe	10,497	10,353	20,850
Satani	1,250	1,269	2,519
Tottiyan	16,856	17,859	33,715
Vadugan	1,918	1,997	3,915
Vaisya	1,665	1,936	3,601
(c) Malayalam	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*
(d) Kanarese	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*
(e) Oriya	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*

VIII.—Castes, Tribes and Races in 1921—*cont.*

Caste, tribe or race.	Strength.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.
I.—HINDU AND ANIMIST CASTES—*cont.*			
(*f*) *Other Madras languages*			
Kshatriya	7,992	8,251	16,243
Sourashtra	4,234	4,310	8,544
II.—MUSSALMAN			
Labbai	27,044	28,842	55,886
Pathan	3,382	2,616	5,998
Saiyid	3,134	5,368	8,502
Shaik	12,006	14,781	26,787
III.—CHRISTIANS.			
Indian Christian	40,771	44,268	85,039
IV.—OTHERS	35,952	53,528	89,480
Total ..	818,619	903,218	1,721,837

IX.—Classification of Area and Principal Crops in Fasli 1335 (1925-26).

Items.	Devakottai Division.			Ramnad Division.				Sivakasi Division.		District total.
	Siva-ganga Taluk.	Tirup-pattur Taluk	Tiruva-danai Taluk	Aruppuk-kottai Taluk.	Mudu-kulattur Taluk.	Parama-kudi Taluk.	Ramnad Taluk.	Sattur Taluk.	Srivilli-puttur Taluk.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
	ACS	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.
Ryotwar including minor inam in Government villages—	65		1,905	17,595	972	2,848	..	199,002	239,928	462,315
Whole inam ...	88,736	115,000	64,170	74,661	38,770	89,922	63,996	37,862	8,107	581,224
Zamindari	127,219	149,000	142,363	256,960	232,701	118,883	81,905	131,085	30,932	1,271,057
Total area by survey ...	216,020	264,000	208,138	349,225	272,448	211,658	145,901	367,949	278,967	2,814,596
Forests	.		...	.		..	...	...	46,353	46,353
Not available for cultivation.	95,677	80,200	26,000	7,019	20,241	10,407	31,256	58,642	63,533	392,875
Cultivable waste other than fallow.	12 026	89,500	73,464	3,389	72,614	6,888	39,044	11,538	3,494	311,957
Current fallows	15,217	58,932		9,331	1,000	46,652	16,572	58,791	84,740	241,235
Net area cropped	93,100	35,368	108,974	329,486	178,588	147,706	59,029	239,078	180,847	1,322,176
Area shown in village accounts.	216,020	26,400	208,438	849,225	272,443	211,653	145,901	367,949	278,967	2,314,596
Irrigated by Government Canals.	538	...	..		...	...	...	148	929	1,610
Do. private canals.	172	...	..		...	.		.	240	412
Do. tanks ...	33,870	18,625	51,358	34,395	26,454	41,282	12,516	6,641	32,819	257,960
Do. wells .	279	648	.	..	580	945	165	38,696	22,906	64,219
Do. other sources.	35,928	..		..		.	...	24	71	36,023
Total area irrigated ...	70,787	19,273	51,358	34,395	27,034	42,227	12,681	45,504	56,965	360,224

IX.—Classification of Area and Principal Crops in Fasli 1335 (1925-26)—*cont.*

Items.	Devakottai Division.			Ramnad Division.				Sivakasi Division.		District total.
	Sivaganga Taluk.	Tiruppattur Taluk.	Tiruvadanai Taluk.	Aruppukkottai Taluk.	Mudukulattur Taluk.	Paramakudi Taluk.	Ramnad Taluk.	Sattur Taluk.	Srivilliputtur Taluk.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.
Area under—*cereals and pulses.*										
Rice	19,650	16,550	59,841	62,849	41,085	81,778	29,135	5,769	45,461	392,118
Cholam	1,950	1,525	220	48,513	13,135	3,840	1,548	23,852	12,364	106,947
Cumbu	2,525	5,580	3,476	39,807	32,676	13,051	14,060	39,544	4,979	155,696
Ragi	15,520	2,575	15,789	36,226	16,572	10,654	5,438	12,680	13,032	128,486
Others	11,605	7,810	26,266	55,257	47,183	29,004	7,657	25,677	23,181	238,643
Total ...	81,250	34,040	105,592	242,650	150,651	138,327	57,838	107,522	99,020	1,016,690
Oilseeds—										
Gingelly	1,310	115	190	5,947	858	7,176	3,041	873	6,288	26,823
Groundnut	1,380	750	107	11,668	2,673	145		3,265	6,784	26,752
Castor	260	275	.	684	118	20	..	226	757	2,340
Others	600	...	...	21	54	52	.	12	2,437	3,176
Total ...	3,560	1,140	297	18,320	3,703	7,393	3,041	4,376	16,261	58,091
Condiments and spices ...	1,752	65	484	2,164	3,421	1,565	161	1,801	2,303	13,716
Sugarcane, etc.	337	.		255	61	290	..	135	876	1,954
Cotton	2,798	40	1,505	89,973	19,778	2,065	63	104,640	35,097	255,959
Indigo, etc.	.	..	...	182	...	.	...	..	6	188
Drugs and narcotics—Tobacco.	196	15	50	2,160	29	.	63	2,829	497	5,839
Others	450	20	108	94	..	...	14	1,460	403	2,549
	5,583	140	2,147	94,828	23,289	8,920	301	110,865	39,182	280,205

Fodder crops	...	...	...	...	66	.	...	30,698	5,797	36,556
Orchards and garden produce.	5,085	48	938	8,026	781	661	5,970	2,464	2,260	26,183
Miscellaneous non-food crops.	7	...	...	1,708	98	238	..	794	1,968	4,808
Total area cropped ...	95,385	35,368	108,974	365,527	178,588	150,539	67,150	256,714	164,488	1,422,733
Deduct area cropped more than once.	2,285	...	...	36,041	...	2,833	8,121	17,636	33,641	100,557
Net area cropped ...	93,100	35,368	108,974	329,486	178,588	147,706	59,029	239,078	130,847	1,322,176

X.—Reserved Forest and Area proposed for Reservation in square miles on 30th June 1925.

Taluk.	Reserved forest.	Area proposed for reservation.	Total of columns (2) and (3).	Area of taluk.	Percentage of column (4) to cultivated area.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Srivilliputtur	72·426	...	72·426	435·82	37

				RS.
Net revenue realized under forests during		1916–17	..	12,268
Do.	do.	1917–18	...	19,021
Do.	do.	1918–19	...	16,299
Do.	do.	1919–20		8,850
Do.	do.	1920–21	...	11,663
Do.	do.	1921–22	...	30,792
Do.	do.	1922–23	...	36,956
Do.	do.	1923–24	...	15,224
Do.	do.	1924–25	..	39,622
Do.	do.	1925–26	...	63,549

XI.—Classification of Area and Money Rates according to the Last Settlement.

(PART 1.—Area under each money rate.)

PARTICULARS: Money rates.	Devakottai Division.	Ramnad Division.			
	Tiruvadanai Taluk.	Aruppukkottai Taluk.	Mudukulattur Taluk.	Paramagudi Taluk.	Ramnad Taluk.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Wet land.					
Single crop.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.
RS. A.					
8 8	39·57	25 93	..	...	...
6 12	133 50	228·44	..	155 93	106·38
5 0	97·39	315·11	4·49	264·70	85·98
4 0	41 85	527·16	18·96	203·39	75·92
3 6	...	181 55	55·60	71·56	...
2 12	.	48·81	25·99	...	...
2 4	...	.	9·21	...	...
Total ...	312·31	1,322·00	114·25	695 58	268·28
Double crop.					
6 0	-	9·06	..	..	...
Special rates.					
2 11	...	5·25	..	...	
Grand total	312·31	1,336·31	114·25	695·58	268·28
Dry land.					
Ordinary rate.					
RS. A.					
2 13	..	5,671·12	...	..	..
1 11	18·19	4,652 88	...	139·70	96·98
1 2	57·35	2,161·26	105·71	342·22	362·69
0 13	121 59	39·63	130·84	419·41	752·26
0 9	63·03	74·65	..	13 50	169 98
0 6	·98	..	12·36	.	47·09
0 4	...	...	104 25		...
Total ...	261·14	12,598·99	352·66	814·88	1,429·00

XI.—Classification of Area and Money Rates according to the Last Settlement—*cont.*

(PART 1.—Area under each money rate)—*cont.*

PARTICULARS: Money rates.	Devakottai Division.	Ramnad Division.			
	Tiruvadanai Taluk.	Aruppukkottai Taluk.	Mudukulattur Taluk.	Paramagudi Taluk.	Ramnad Taluk.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Special rate.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.
RS. A.					
2 13	..	76·89	...	88·92	...
1 11	...	64·40	...	490·68	...
1 2	...	28·25	..	6·33	...
Total ...	..	169·54	...	585·93	...
Grand total ..	261·14	12,768 53	352 66	1,600·76	1,429·00

Names of taluks.	No. of villages.	Settlement current. From (inclusive).	To (inclusive).
Aruppukottai	8	1918–19	1940–41
Paramagudi	4	1920–21	
	2	1916–17	
Ramnad	4	1916–17	
Tiruvadanai	4	1916–17	
Mudukulattur	1	1916–17	
	8	1917–18	

XI.—Classification of Area and Money Rates according to the Last Settlement—*cont.*

(PART 1.—Area under each money rate)—*cont.*

PARTICULARS : Money rates, rate per acre.	Sattur Division.		Total.
	Sattur Taluk.	Srivilliputtur Taluk.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
	Wet.		
Single crop.	ACS.	ACS	ACS.
RS. A.			
10 4	...	1,582	1,582
8 8	279	4,471	4,750
6 12	690	4,409	5,099
5 0	1,828	3,165	4,993
4 0	896	370	1,266
3 6	181	53	234
2 12	169	...	169
Double crop.			
15 4	...	2	2
11 6	...	8	8
10 10	...	109	109
10 4	9	.	9
9 0	.	229	229
8 8	...	1,268	1,268
8 2	210	49	259
6 10	..	782	782
6 4	424	1,533	1,957
6 0	494	262	756
5 4	..	158	158
5 0	113	428	541
4 12	187	441	628
4 4	...	35	35
4 0	...	71	71
3 8	287	...	287
Lands compounded under well rules	158	1,333	1,491
Total ...	5,925	20,758	26,683
	Dry		
2 13	9,926	5,787	15,713
1 11	55,878	28,759	84,637
1 2	63,230	38,746	101,976
0 13	29,418	29,293	58,711
0 9	3,890	2,275	6,165
0 6	93	27	120
Special rate	...	220	220
Total ...	162,435	105,107	267,542

Name of taluk.	Settlement current. From (inclusive).	To (inclusive).
Sattur	1911–12	1940–41
Srivilliputtur	1912–13	1941–42

XI.—Classification of Area and Money Rates according to the Last Settlement—*cont.*

(PART 2.—Classes and sorts included under each money rate.)

Sattur and Srivillipattur Taluks.

Table of wet rates.

Soil classifications.	Under first-class source.			Under second-class source.			Under third-class source.			Under fourth-class source.		
	Taram.	Single.	Double.	Taram.	Single.	Double.	Taram.	Single.	Double	Taram.	Single.	Double.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
		RS. A.	RS. A.		RS. A.	RS A.		RS. A.	RS. A.		RS. A	RS. A.
IV-1, VII-A.	1	15 0	22 8	2	13 2	17 8	3	10 4	14 6	5	8 8	10 4
IV-2, VII-1.	2	13 2	19 12	3	10 4	15 4	5	8 8	10 10	7	6 12	8 2
III-1, IV-3, V-I, VII-2, VIII-1 ...	4	10 2	15 4	5	8 8	11 6	7	6 12	8 8	9	5 0	6 0
III-2, IV-4, V-2, VII-3, VIII-2 ...	6	7 8	11 4	7	6 12	9 0	9	5 0	6 4	11	4 0	4 12
II-3, IV-5, V-3, VII-4, VIII-3 ...	8	5 10	8 8	9	5 0	6 10	11	4 0	5 0	12	3 6	4 0
III-4, V-4, VII-5, VIII-4	10	4 4	6 6	11	4 0	5 4	12	3 6	4 4	13	2 12	3 4
III-5, V-5, VIII-5 ...	12	3 6	5 0	12	3 6	4 8	13	2 12	8 8	14	2 4	2 10

Table of dry rates.

Soil classification.	Taram.	Rate.
		RS. A.
IV-1, VII-A ...	1	2 13
III-1, IV-2, VII-1 ...	2	1 11
III-2, IV-3, V-1, VII-2, VIII-1 ...	3	1 2
III-3, IV-4, V-2, VII-3, VIII-2 ...	4	0 13
III-4, IV-5, V-3, VII-4 VIII-3 ...	5	0 9
III-5, V-4, VII-5, VIII-4 ...	6	0 6
V-5, VIII-5 ...	7	0 4
VIII-6 ...	8	0 8

XI.—Classification of Area and Money Rates according to the Last Settlement—*cont.*

(PART 2.—Classes and sorts included under each money rate)—*cont.*

Villages settled in the Zamindari Divisions.

Wet lands.

Class and sort of soil.	Third class.		Fourth class.	
	Single crop.	Double crop.	Single crop.	Double crop.
	RS. A.	RS. A.	RS. A.	RS. A.
IV-1	No land has been placed in IV-1.		8 8	10 4
IV-2, VII-1	8 8	10 10	6 12	8 2
III-1, IV-3, V-1, VII-2, VIII-1...	6 12	8 8	5 0	6 0
III-2, IV-4, V-2, VII-3, VIII-2 .	5 0	6 4	4 0	4 12
III-3. IV-5, V-3, VII-4, VIII-3...	4 0	5 0	3 6	4 0
III-4, V-4, VII-5, VIII-4 ...	3 8	4 4	2 12	3 4
III-5, V-5, VII -5	2 12	3 8	2 4	2 10

Dry lands.

Class and sort of soil.	Taram.	Rate per acre.
		RS. A. P.
IV-1	1	2 13 0
III-1, IV-2, VII-1	2	1 11 0
III-2, IV-3, V-1, VII-2 VIII-1	3	1 2 0
III-3, IV-4, V-2, VII-3, VIII-2	4	0 13 0
III-4, IV-5, V-3, VII-4, VIII-3	5	0 9 0
III-5, V-4, VII-5, VIII-4	6	0 6 0
V-5, VIII-5	7	0 4 0
VIII-6	8	0 3 0

XII.—Rainfall.

Name of rain-gauge stations.	Average rainfall (1870—1925) in inches in												
	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Whole year.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)
ARUPPUKOTTAI DIVISION.													
Aruppukottai (Tiruchuli) * …	1·17	0·37	0·77	1·73	1·89	0·87	1·15	2·17	3·79	6·01	5·44	2·72	28·08
MUDUKULATTUR DIVISION.													
Kamudi † …	1·50	0·32	0·79	1·61	1·84	0·37	1·45	1·58	2·28	6·36	5·54	2·24	25·88
Morekulam …	1·61	0·81	0·80	1·82	0·96	0·35	0·37	0·63	1·06	7·13	9·56	5·56	30·66
Mudukulattur ‡ …	1·45	0·51	0·78	1·84	1·62	0·45	1·07	1·79	2·34	6·89	5·81	3·80	27·85
PARAMAGUDI DIVISION.													
Manakudi § …	2·56	0·66	0·84	1·76	1·01	0·73	1·17	1·55	2·63	5·73	7·97	4·01	30·62
Paramagudi ‖ …	1·56	0·45	0·54	2·20	2·02	0·84	1·65	2·68	3·26	6·36	6·29	2·97	30·82
RĀMNĀD TALUK.													
Mutturagunathapatnam …	1·28	0·58	0·98	1·60	1·00	0·23	0·45	0·78	0·88	5·31	6·68	3·43	28·15
Pamban * …	2·24	0·67	0·59	1·75	0·88	0·16	0·50	0·59	1·19	9·17	11·23	7·69	36·66
Rāmnād …	1·48	0·69	0·86	1·81	1·08	0·45	0·83	1·68	2·02	7·66	9·26	5·15	32·97

SATTUR TALUK.													
Sattur	0·90	0·50	0·98	2·02	2·41	0·55	0·95	1·60	2·82	7·12	5·14	2·32	26·81
Sivakasi *	1·64	0·31	0·91	2·05	2·33	0·75	0·94	1·92	2·57	7·66	6·44	2·85	30·37
Virudhunagar **	0·88	0·49	0·60	2·27	2·75	1·11	1·30	2·70	4·29	6·85	4·97	2·53	30·74
SIVAGANGA TALUK.													
Manamadura †	1·68	0·36	1·17	1·04	2·12	1·50	1·60	3·58	2·99	6·45	5·62	2·24	30·35
Sivaganga	1·03	0·42	0·56	1·48	2·18	1·71	1·95	4·59	4·56	6·96	5·29	2·63	33·36
Tiruppuvanam ††...	2·30	0·24	1·38	1·66	2·92	2·12	1·65	4·92	4·33	5·94	6·33	3·30	37·59
SRIVILLIPUTTUR TALUK.													
Srivilliputtur	1·03	1·05	1·39	1·91	2·28	0·64	0·74	1·02	1·90	7·30	6·21	2·81	28·28
Watrap (Vattirayaruppu) ‡‡	1·10	1·11	1·16	2·21	2·07	0·52	0·38	1·18	2·44	8·41	6·73	2·48	29·79
TIRUPPATTUR TALUK.													
Tiruppattur ‡	1·05	0·82	0·85	1·33	2·58	2·17	2·68	5·60	5·11	6·44	5·46	3·12	36·21
TIRUVADANAI DIVISION.													
Tiruvadanai‖	1·99	0·49	0·75	1·41	1·17	1·21	1·34	2·60	3·37	6·93	7·22	4·61	33·09
Theethandathanam §	2·48	0·72	0·94	1·75	1·17	0·94	1·30	2·21	2·18	7·35	7·65	4·53	33·22
Vattanam	1·90	0·82	0·98	2·14	1·35	0·84	1·00	1·86	2·13	7·86	8·07	5·06	33·51
District average ...	1·56	0·57	0·86	1·78	1·79	0·88	1·16	2·25	2·77	6·92	6·81	3·60	30·95

* 1884—1925.
† 1904—1925.
‡ 1880—1925.

§ 1897—1925.
‖ 1895—1925.
¶ 1902—1925.

** 1888—1925.
†† 1914—1925.
‡‡ 1881—1925.

NOTE.—Rainfall is now being recorded at Aruppukottai instead of at Tiruchuli.

XIII.—Holdings, Cultivation and Demand in Fasli 1335 (1925–26).

Taluks.	Total holdings.						Cultivation including waste charged.				Miscellaneous revenue.	Total ryotwar demand.	Cesses (land and railway cesses).	Total demand of land revenue ryotwar, and miscellaneous cesses.
	Dry.		Wet.		Total.		Dry.		Wet.					
	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.				
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)
DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION.	ACS.	RS.	ACS.	RS.	ACS.	RS.	ACS.	RS.	ACS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Sivaganga	11	9	19	74	30	83	11	9	19	74	3,668	3,751	737	4,488
Tiruppattur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	871	871	1,108	1,979
Tiruvadanai ...	472	383	397	2,392	869	2,775	472	383	397	2,392	252	3,085	452	3,537
RĀMNĀD DIVISION.														
Aruppukottai ...	12,787	26,732	1,344	6,267	14,131	32,999	12,787	26,732	1,344	6,267	1,500	34,050	4,243	38,893
Mudukulattur ...	641	388	130	491	771	879	557	363	130	491	351	1,173	235	1,408
Paramagudi ...	1,668	2,457	790	4,091	2,458	6,548	1,668	2,457	790	4,091	489	6,846	1,088	7,434
Rāmnād	2,901	2,797	281	1,512	3,182	4,309	2,901	2,797	281	1,512	2,560	7,110	517	7,627
SIVAKASI DIVISION.														
Sattur	157,889	2,09,822	5,495	29,067	163,384	2,38,889	157,889	2,09,822	5,492	29,052	14,103	2,52,773	22,884	2,75,657
Srivilliputtur ...	108,657	1,42,280	20,890	1,49,346	129,547	2,91,626	108,657	1,42,280	20,851	1,49,036	52,238	3,59,707	30,304	3,90,011
HUZUR COLLECTIONS.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	44,765	44,765	...	44,765
District total ...	285,026	3,84,868	29,436	1,93,240	314,372	5,78,108	284,942	3,84,843	29,304	1,92,915	1,20,797	7,14,231	61,568	7,75,799*

* Total ryotwar demand includes charge for water but excludes remissions (occasional and fixed).

XIV.—Revenue Payable by Permanently-settled Estates in Fasli 1335 (1925-26).

Serial number.	Taluks and estates.	Peshkash.	Land-cess.	Miscellaneous revenue.	Total.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
	DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
	Sivaganga Taluk.				
1	Kondagai	3,027	2,213	...	5,240
2	Kunnalaveli Jeevitham.	...	650	...	650
3	Okkur Peraveli ...	1,203	820	..	2,023
4	Sivaganga	2,53,332	1,23,319	1,732	3,78,383
	Total ...	2,57,562	1,27,002	1,732	3,86,296
	Tiruvadanai Taluk.				
5	Devakottai	4,511	2,465	...	6,976
6	Govindamangalam ...	1,232	621	...	1,853
7	Tiruthervalai	1,460	516	...	1,976
	Total ...	7,203	3,602	...	10,805
	RĀMNĀD DIVISION.				
	Aruppukottai Taluk.				
8	Palavanattam ...	8,208	2,353	17	10,478
9	Palayampatti	9,651	2,336	...	11,987
10	Pandalgudi	6,850	1,320	...	8,170
	Total ...	24,709	5,909	17	30,635
	Rāmnād Taluk.				
11	Orattur-Karakudi ...	505	258	20	783
12	Rāmnād	2,91,390	95,228	11,805	3,98,423
	Total ...	2,91,895	95,486	11,825	3,99,206
	SIVAKASI DIVISION.				
	Sattur Taluk.				
13	Attankarai	1,127	308	50	1,485

XIV.—Revenue Payable by Permanently-Settled Estates in Fasli 1335 (1925–26)—*cont.*

Serial number.	Taluks and estates.	Peshkash.	Land-cess.	Miscellaneous revenue.	Total.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
	SIVAKASI DIVISION —*cont.*	RS.	RS	RS.	RS.
	Sattur Taluk—cont.				
14	Ettiyapuram	11,712	1,939	719	14,370
15	Ezhayirampannai (1/2 new).	521	121	108	750
16	Ezhayirampannai (1/3 old)	728	148	40	916
17	Ezhayirampannai 3/4 ...	942	107	23	1,072
18	Do. 1/4 ...	1,256	124	88	1,468
19	Do. 5/16 .	388	160	62	610
20	Do. 1/3 ...	1.256	179	70	1,505
21	Do. 6/16 ..	392	47	...	439
22	Do. 10/16 ...	- 779	84	86	949
23	Gollapatti	3,238	1,025	1,320	5,583
24	Kulasekarapatnam Mitta.	999	276	208	1,483
25	Mannarkottai	4,286	1,123	46	5,455
26	Do.	269		...	269
27	Paveli	2,848	1,175	1,130	5,153
28	Sennalkudi	4,516	654	320	5,490
29	Sevalpatti	5,525	2,021	342	7,888
30	Sivagiri	8,748	1,291	1,109	11,148
31	Vadimitta	5,496	1,102	63	6,661
32	Do.	225	...	...	225
	Total ..	55,251	11,884	5 784	72,919
	Srivilliputtur Taluk.				
33	Kollangondan	30	552	...	582
34	Settur	12,553	8,498	334	21,385
35	Sivagiri	4,358	1,352	116	5,826
	Total ...	16,941	10,402	450	27,793
	Grand total ...	6,53,561	2,54,285	19,808	9,27,654

XV.—Demand, Collection and Balance of Current Land Revenue and Cesses (in thousands of rupees).

Taluks.	Demand.										Collected or written off.				
	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1328.	Fasli 1329.	Fasli 1330.	Fasli 1331.	Fasli 1332.	Fasli 1333.	Fasli 1334.	Fasli 1335.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1328.	Fasli 1329.	Fasli 1330.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION.															
Sivaganga	381	391	382	384	384	429	414	412	428	462	372	388	380	370	378
Tiruppattur	19	18	19	20	18	20	21	29	22	25	15	17	18	15	15
Tiruvadanai	28	27	23	25	26	26	27	28	30	31	20	26	21	23	25
RĀMNĀD DIVISION.															
Aruppukottai	70	73	79	80	80	80	85	84	84	85	66	72	69	74	76
Mudukulattur	12	13	11	12	12	13	14	16	14	14	10	13	11	11	12
Paramagudi	24	24	24	24	28	25	25	27	29	30	18	24	24	22	15
Rāmnād	398	399	391	394	398	411	427	433	429	482	384	376	383	382	381
SIVAKASI DIVISION.															
Sattur	359	367	370	371	370	378	391	366	370	375	343	352	351	354	352
Srivilliputtur	337	391	415	542	390	423	422	396	422	452	307	381	395	528	364
Huzur	13	13	19	52	57	54	72	40	...	45	13	13	19	52	57
Total ...	16,36	17,16	17,33	19,04	17,58	18,54	18,98	18,31	18,28	10,61	15,48	16,62	16,71	18,31	16,75

XV.—Demand, Collection and Balance of Current Land Revenue and Cesses (in thousands of rupees)—*cont.*

Taluks.	Collected or written off—*cont.*					Balance.									
	Fasli 1331.	Fasli 1332.	Fasli 1333.	Fasli 1334.	Fasli 1335.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1328.	Fasli 1329.	Fasli 1330	Fasli 1331.	Fasli 1332.	Fasli 1333.	Fasli 1334.	Fasli 1335.
	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)
DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION.															
Sivaganga	414	398	398	410	458	9	3	2	14	6	15	21	14	18	4
Tiruppattur	17	20	21	21	22	4	1	1	5	3	3	1	8	1	3
Tiruvadanai	24	24	26	28	29	3	1	2	2	1	2	3	2	2	2
RĀMNĀD DIVISION.															
Aruppukottai	73	78	79	78	84	4	1	10	6	4	7	6	5	6	1
Mudukulattur	13	12	16	14	13	2	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	1
Paramagudi	20	2	22	24	30	6		...	2	8	5	4	5	5	...
Rāmnād	411	172	482	375	430	14	23	8	12	17	...	255	1	54	2
SIVAKASI DIVISION.															
Sattur	349	374	352	358	373	16	15	19	17	18	24	17	14	17	2
Srivilliputtur	408	405	337	391	448	30	10	20	14	26	15	17	9	81	4
Husur	54	72	40	...	45	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	17,83	15,72	17,73	16,94	19,32	88	54	62	73	88	71	3,26	58	1,84	19

XVI.—Remissions (in thousands of rupees).

Taluks.	Waste remitted.														
	Wet.										Dry.				
	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1328.	Fasli 1329.	Fasli 330.	Fasli 1331.	Fasli 1332.	Fasli 1333.	Fasli 1334.	Fasli 1335.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1328.	Fasli 1329.	Fasli 1330.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
SIVAKASI DIVISION.															
Sattur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Srivilliputtur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...
Total ...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Taluks.	Waste remitted—*cont.*					Other seasonal remissions (excluding fixed remissions).									
	Dry—*cont.*														
	Fasli 1331.	Fasli 1332.	Fasli 1333.	Fasli 1334.	Fasli 1335.	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1328	Fasli 1329.	Fasli 1330.	Fasli 1331.	Fasli 1332.	Fasli 1333	Fasli 1334.	Fasli 1335.
	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)
SIVAKASI DIVISION.															
Sattur	...	...	...	..	...	2		.		...	..	1	3	...	*
Srivilliputtur	...	...	..	..	...	40	12	1	2	9	7	1	8	4	†
Total ...	...	...	...	..	...	42	12	1	2	9	7	2	11	4	...

* Excludes fixed remission of Rs. 3,000. † Excludes fixed remission of Rs. 7,000.

XVII.—Land Improvement and Agriculturists' Loans.

Taluks.	Total amount advanced under the Land Improvements and Agriculturists' Loans Acts in											Total recovered.
	Fasli 1326.	Fasli 1327.	Fasli 1328.	Fasli 1329.	Fasli 1330.	Fasli 1331.	Fasli 1332.	Fasli 1333.	Fasli 1334.	Fasli 1335.	Total (including outstanding balance at the beginning of fasli 1326).	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
Rāmnād Division.												
Aruppukottai	650	...	...	200	50	450	...	..	200	180	6,937	4,927
Mudukulattur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	250	250	...
Paramagudi	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	2,000	...	..	2,000	46
Rāmnād	...	...	...	...	...	...	105,975	54,100	3,185	1,350	164,610	8,000
Sivakasi Division.												
Sattur	9,310	5,550	1,100	600	1,750	4,300	10,730	11,225	8,560	6,450	121 089	61,400
Srivilliputtur	3,250	2,512	950	1,500	1,000	6,550	9,055	8,100	4,195	3,050	137,953	58,750
Total ...	13,210	8,062	2,050	2,300	2,800	11,300	125,760	75,425	16,140	12,180	432,789	313,133

XVIII.—PRICES IN SEERS PER RUPEE.

XVIII.—Prices in Seers Per Rupee.

Fasli.	Devakottai Division. Sivaganga Taluk. Sivaganga.	Devakottai Division. Tiruppattur Taluk. Tiruppattur.	Devakottai Division. Tiruvadanai Division. Tiruvadanai.	Rāmnād Division. Aruppukottai Division. Aruppukottai (Tiruchuli).	Rāmnād Division. Rāmnād Taluk. Mudukulattur.	Rāmnād Division. Rāmnād Taluk. Paramagudi.	Rāmnād Division. Rāmnād Taluk. Rāmnād.	Sattur Division. Sattur Taluk. Sattur.	Sattur Division. Sattur Taluk. Virudupatti.	Sattur Division. Srivilliputtur Taluk. Srivilliputtur.	Sattur Division. Srivilliputtur Taluk. Varthirayirupu (Watrap).	District average.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
Rice (second sort).												
1326	...	6·2	8·0	6·6	7·0	7·3	7·0	7·8	8·2	6·9	8·0	7·3
1327	7·2	6·2	7·5	6·8	6·3	7·3	7·3	7·6	7·0	6·8	7·6	7·1
1328	5·2	4·8	5·8	4·7	4·7	5·2	5·3	5·3	4·6	5·3	5·0	5·1
1329	3·8	3·7	3·9	3·7	4·5	3·8	4·9	4·2	3·3(g)	4·9	3·3(g)	4·0
1330	4·9	4·1	4·1	4·8	4·9	5·4	6·5	5·6	4·8	5·2	5·4	5·1
1331	5·2	4·5	4·4	4·4	4·6	5·0	5·5(i)	5·3	4·7	4·8	4·9	4·9
1332	5·1	4·3	4·5	4·1	4·5	5·2	5·3	5·1	4·9	5·2	5·0	4·8
*1333	5·25	4·74	4·95	4·68	4·50	5·62	5·87	4·95	...	5·23	...	5·09
*1334	4·59	3·99	4·64	4·95	4·16	4·63	4·38	4·95	...	4·28	...	4·51
*1335	4·70	4·47	4·40	5·40	4·88	4·90	4·57	4·94	...	4·84	...	4·79

					Paddy (first sort).							
1326	11·3	10·9	12·7	9·8	..	11·2	12·1	...	...	10·5	10·9	11·2
1327	11·4	11·7	12·3	9·9	...	11·8	11·3	...	9·8	10·0	...	10·9
1328	8·2	8·7	8·9	7·0	...	8·3	8·3	7·0	...	...	7·0	7·9
1329	6·3	6·2	7·2	6·6	8·1(*h*)	..	6·0	...	6·2(*f*)	6·0	5·2	6·4
1330	8·6	6·6	8·0	6·9	8·5	8·3	7·7	...	7·7	8·3	8·1	7·9
1331	8·0	7·3	7·4	6·6	8·1	8·4(*i*)	7·9	...	...	7·9	7·7	7·7
1332	7·5	7·4	6·7	6·3	8·6	8·7	8·0	...	...	8·2	8·0	7·7
*1333	7·48	7·59	7·59	6·36	8·61	9·09	9·10	...	...	7·97	...	7·97
*1334	7·03	6·41	7·28	6·84	8·10	7·49	7·67	...	...	6·57	...	7·17
*1335	7·28	6·66	6·97	7·26	7·94	7·84	8·00	...	..	7·31	..	7·41
					Paddy (second sort).							
1326	13·6	13·3	15·8(*a*)	11·1	12·8	12·5	13·4	12·9	12·3	11·1	12·8	12·8
1327	12·7	12·9	13·5	11·2	13·1	12·9	12·2	11·7	10·4	11·0	11·8	12·1
1328	9·2	9·7	10·1(*c*)	7·5	9·1	9·0	8·8	8·6	7·1(*d*)	8·2	8·1	8·7
1329	7·2	7·4	7·9	5·9	7·3	6·8	6·6	5·5(*g*)	6·2	7·0	5·5	6·7
1330	10·3	8·2	9·1	8·1	10·8	9·6	8·4	...	8·2	9·5	8·8	9·1
1331	9·1	8·9	8·9	7·7	9·8	9·3	9·0	..	...	8·9	8·4	8·9
1332	9·6	8·6	7·9	7·4	11·1	9·4	8·6	...	.	8·8	8·4	8·9
*1333	8·84	8·82	8·82	7·53	11·04	9·98	9·61	...	...	8·52	..	9·15
*1334	7·83	7·02	8·41	7·60	8·32	8·13	8·20	..	...	7·24	...	7·92
*1335	8·58	7·58	8·20	8·50	9·12	8·46	8·48	8·88(*i*)	...	8·17	...	8·43
					Horse gram.							
1326	13·1	..	...	10·2	18·7(*b*)	13·6	14·4	11·9	...	12·8	.	13·5
1327	11·1	...	...	10·5	..	10·3	12·4	...	...	10·2	11·4	10·9
1328	7·4	...	...	8·0		8·3	9·2	9·1	...	8·3	...	8·4

(*a*) Sold cheap for 6 months.
(*b*) Sold for 3 months.
(*c*) Sold cheap throughout the year.
(*d*) Sold dear for the greater portion of the year.
(*f*) Sold for 1 month.
(*g*) Sold dear throughout the year.
(*h*) Sold for 4 months.
(*i*) Sold cheap for 2 months.

* **Statistics for Virudupatti and Varthirayirupu (Watrap) for faslis 1333, 1334 and 1335 are not available.**

XVIII.—Prices in Seers Per Rupee—*cont.*

Fasli.	Devakottai Division.			Rāmnād Division.				Sattur Division.				District average.
	Sivaganga Taluk.	Tiruppattur Taluk.	Tiruvadanai Division.	Aruppukottai Division.	Rāmnād Taluk.			Sattur Taluk.		Srivilliputtur Taluk.		
	Sivaganga.	Tiruppattur.	Tiruvadanai.	Aruppukottai (Tiruchuli).	Mudukulattur.	Paramagudi.	Rāmnād	Sattur.	Virudupatti.	Srivilliputtur.	Varthirayirupu (Watrap.)	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
						Horse gram—cont.						
1329	6·1	...	...	5·7	...	6·8	6·2	6·8	...	6·1	...	6·3
1330	7·1	...	...	6·5	...	6·6	7·0	6·4	...	6·3	...	6·7
1331	7·3	...	...	6·3	...	6·8	6·4	6·8	...	4·9	...	6·4
1332	7·7	...	...	6·4	...	6·8	8·3	6·8	...	7·4	...	7·2
*1333	8·51	...	...	6·44	...	6·80	9·24	6·80	...	7·72	...	7·59
*1334	7·68	...	...	6·80	...	8·49	8·94	6·80	...	7·70	...	7·78
*1335	8·97	6·80	..	7·43	...	8·50	8·75	7·01	...	8·47	...	7·89
						Cholam.						
1326	...	...	...	14·1	...	...	...	12·6	12·3	12·1	14·3	13·1
1327	...	...	...	14·1(*c*)	...	...	...	11·6	10·7	10·6	11·1	11·6

1328	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·2(g)	8·3	7·6	7·0	7·7	8·5
1329	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	.	...	.	6·3	6·3	5·8	6·3	6·2
1330	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7·4	...	7·5	..	8·0	7·4	8·8	8·3	7·9
1331	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	7·6	...	..	.	8·0	6·8	8·8	9·0(h)	8·1
1332	...	..	...	..	..	...	..	7·2	...	...	...	8·4	8·6	8·7	...	8·2
1333	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	8·18	...	...	.	9·42	...	8·52	...	8·71
1334	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	8·64	.	11·38(j)	...	9·42	...	7·75	...	9·30
1335	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8·67	...	...	...	8·36	...	8·35	..	8·46
								Cumbu.								
1326	...	...	...	...	12·4	...	..	12·3	12·5	11·7	11·1	11·0	10·1	8·9(b)	...	11·3
1327	...	...	...	...	13·2	...	...	11·8	12·0	11·6	10·4	9·4	...	..	10·1	11·2
1328	...	...	...	...	9·0	...		7·2	11·5(h)	8·6	8·7	7·7	7·8	6·0(i)	...	8·3
1329	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·8	5·0	.	6·2(j)	5·0	5·9	6·9(j)	4·8	...	5·5
1330	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·5	6·0	9·6	7·0	7·1	6·8	5·8	5·6	..	6·7
1331	..	...	...	...	...	...	6·9	6·5	8·2(g)	...	8·0	6·9	6·8	5·5(h)	6·9(j)	7·0
1332	...	...	...	...	8·2(j)	6·9(j)	6·9	6·2	...	8·9(j)	7·7	6·9	7·3	6·7	...	7·3
*1333	...	.	...	...	...	...	6·85	6·62	...	...	8·33	6·85	...	6·17	..	6·96
*1334	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	6·86	...	8·24	7·62	6·85	...	6·17(j)	...	7·10
*1335	..	...	..	...	...	...	6·85	6·85	7·37(g)	8·37	7·50	6·38	.	7·89	...	7·32
								Ragi.								
1326	...	...	...	...	13·2	12·0	15·5	13·8	14·9	12·7	13·2	13·3	13·9	12·6	13·2	13·4
1327	...	...	...	...	13·6	11·8	15·0	12·2	15·4(e)	13·4	12·8	12·7	11·3	10·9	12·4	12·9
1328	...	...	...	...	9·4	9·0	11·0(d)	8·5	11·5	10·1	10·1	9·2	8·9	8·1	8·3	9·5
1329	...	...	...	...	6·2	5·9	6·5	5·7	6·4	6·3	5·6	6·1	6·7	5·8	5·9	6·1
1330	..	...	...	...	8·0	5·9	7·9	6·2	9·3	8·4	7·8	7·6	7·2	9·4	9·3	7·9
1331	..	...	...	...	7·7	5·9	7·8	7·1	9·3(n)	9·0	8·9	8·6	8·2	9·0	9·0	8·2
1332	..	...	...	...	8·7	6·5	8·0	6·7	9·4	8·5	8·5	8·8	8·2	9·0	8·4	8·3
*1333	...	...	...	...	8·71	7·40	8·88	8·14	10·36	10·16	9·25	8·88	...	8·94	...	8·97
*1334	...	...	...	...	7·89	6·41	8·14	8·14	9·49	8·94	8·17	8·88	...	8·25	...	8·26
*1335	...	...	...	...	8·43	5·92	8·14	8·42	9·99	9·04	9·30	8·48	.	8·79	...	8·50

(b) Sold for 3 months.
(c) Sold cheap for 10 months.
(d) Sold cheap throughout the year.
(e) Sold cheap for 7 months.
(g) Sold for 2 months
(h) Sold for 7 months.
(i) Sold for 5 months.
(j) Sold for 1 month.
(n) Sold cheap for 4 months.

XVIII.—Prices in Seers Per Rupee.—*cont.*

Fasli.	Devakottai Division.				Rāmnād.			Sattur.				District average.
	Sivaganga Taluk.	Tiruppattur Taluk.	Tiruvadanai Division.	Aruppukkottai Division.	Rāmnād Taluk.			Sattur Taluk.		Srivilliputtur Taluk.		
	Sivaganga.	Tiruppatur.	Tiruvadanai.	Aruppukottai (Tiruchuli).	Mudukulathur.	Paramagudi.	Rāmnād.	Sattur.	Virudupatti.	Srivilliputhur.	Varthirayirupu (Watrap.)	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
					Salt.							
1326	16·7	15·4	17·7	17·2	18·0	15·8	16·3	20·1	18·0	19·0	17·2	17·4
1327	16·5	15·4	17·8	16·7	18·0(*d*)	15·9	16·2	15·8	18·8	12·5	14·7	15·7
1328	16·4	15·4	19·4	12·5	18·0	15·7	16·1	16·1	13·8	15·5	12·3	15·6
1329 —	16·1	15·4	1·2(*d*)	15·1	17·9	16·8	16·7	19·4	13·7(*k*)	18·0	13·6(*k*)	16·7
1330	14·9	13·7	18·6	15·8	20·8	15·8	16·9	20·1	18·9	18·2	12·9	16·9
1331	13·3	13·4	18·2	13·2	20·8	14·1	17·1	19·6	18·1	18·0	14·1	16·3
1332	13·5	12·6	15·6	13·2	20·3(*d*)	12·0	15·3	18·4	19·3	16·3	13·6	15·5
*1333	11·89	11·58	11·46	11·18	12·92	11·70	12·83	14·59	...	13·51	...	12·52
*1334	17·85	15·48	14·10	12·50	17·96	15·91	17·76	21·80	...	19·70	...	16·95
*1335	17·68	15·43	14·41	14·61	18·09	16·46	17·85	21·30	...	20·33	...	17·35

Varagu, unhusked.

1326	26·9(*c*)	...	21·8	17·9	...	20·8	19·7	...	...	...	...	21·4
1327	...	...	27·5(*d*)	17·7	...	20·1	18·7	...	...	...	...	21·0
1328	15·4	...	17·9	15·4	...	16 9	14 6	...	...	...	...	16·0
1329	...	...	10 2	...	...	11·5(*j*)	...	...	...	...	...	10·9
1330	...	...	10·7	...	...	13·2	...	...	...	...	...	12·0
1331	...	...	10·7	...	...	12·8(*j*)	...	..	...	4 6(*j*)	...	9·4
1332	...	...	11·1	..	..	15·9(*d*)	12·8	...	..	...	...	18·1
*1333	...	...	12·80	...	...	15·36	13·94	. .	...	...	...	14·03
*1334	...	...	11 84	...	..	...	12·80(*p*)	..	...	...	.	12·32
*1335	...	...	11 78	...	...	...	15 36(*i*)	...	...	...	...	12·55

(*a*) Sold cheap for 6 months.
(*c*) Sold cheap for 4 months.
(*d*) Sold cheap throughout the year.
(*i*) Sold for 5 months.
(*p*) Sold for six months.
(*j*) Sold for one month.
(*k*) Sold dear throughout the year,

* **Statistics for Virudupatti and Vathirayirupu** (Watrap) for faslis 1333, 1334 and 1335 are not available.

XIX.—Abkāri and Opium.

— (1)	1916-17. (2)	1917-18. (3)	1918-19. (4)	1919-20. (5)	1920-21. (6)	1921-22. (7)	1922-23. (8)	1923-24. (9)	1924-25. (10)	1925-26. (11)
Country Spirits.										
Number of retail shops licensed.	220	218	218	183	185	188	182	180	168	169
Issues in imperial proof gallons.	27,228	28,361	35,454	31,541	26,935	22,281	26,813	27,836	27,702	26,972
Number of persons per shop.	7,536	7,605	7,605	9,060	9,308	9,409	9,461	9,566	10,250	10,588
Gross receipts from duty. Rs.	1,83,762	1,88,489	2,61,839	2,58,393	2,02,402	1,30,512	1.47,459	1.52,559	1,76,568	2,42,009
Gross receipts from rentals. Rs.	97,055	1,12,406	1,18,683	1,63,012	1,93,688	1,77,927	1,48,337	1 78,387	1,99,912	1,95,973
Toddy.										
Number of retail shops licensed.	570	564	563	539	528	532	521	519	502	510
Number of persons per shop.	2,909	2,939	2,944	3,076	3,261	3,236	3,305	3,317	3,430	3,509
Gross receipts from tree-tax. Rs.	2,41,925	2,41,403	2,64,214	2,83,225	2,84,986	3,20,571	3,38,555	3,34,512	3,41,568	3,16,127
Gross receipts from rentals. Rs.	2,70,691	3,05,987	3,63,836	4,31,997	4,53,821	3,44,854	3,13,988	3,86,666	3,76,290	3,86,301
Ganja and Bhang.										
Number of retail shops licensed.	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17

Quantity sold in seers—Ganja.	1,600	1,547	1,788	1,684	1,437	1,521	1,727	1,521	1,185	1,545
Quantity sold in seers—Bhang.	334	898	411	678	731	130	928	858	782	517
Number of persons per shop.	97,529	97,529	97,529	97,529	101,294	101,294	101,294	101,294	101,294	101,294
Gross receipts from duty Rs.	...	...	3	1,341	20,465	24,811	31,697	29,544	23,072	31,908
Gross receipts from rentals. Rs.	21,672	27,640	35,976	49,776	56,399	36,705	46,976	50,701	54,843	44,796
Opium.										
Number of retail shops licensed.	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13
Quantity sold in seers ...	195	217	234	207	246	225	245	278	305	331
Number of persons per shop.	127,538	127,538	127,538	127,538	132,461	132,461	132,461	132,461	132,461	132,461
Gross receipts from duty. Rs	5,963	6,684	7,488	7,659	9,122	9,011	9,802	11,117	12,180	24,828
Gross receipts from rentals. Rs	6,834	8,696	11,268	10,192	13,948	10,350	12,620	16,114	17,302	17,340

XX.—Revenue Receipts.

— (1)	1916-17. (2)	1917-18. (3)	1918-19. (4)	1919-20. (5)	1920-21. (6)	1921-22. (7)	1922-23. (8)	1923-24. (9)	1924-25. (10)	1925-26. (11)
	RS	RS	RS	RS	RS	RS	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS
Land revenue and rates ..	13,64,444	13,33,686	14,47,444	14,21,574	12,74,476	15,59,429	18,48,717	19,30,686	15,81,499	18,39,848
Stamps	8,64,512	9,54,335	10,53,651	10,94,461	10,42,948	11,42,061	12,45,970	10,08,695	11,01,703	10,94,762
Excise	7,93,433	8,48,235	10,08,572	11,36,627	11,34,897	9,73,864	9,48,339	10,34,124	10,94,333	11,40,410
Forests	28,292	31,521	28,799	21,350	27,692	46,821	52,985	28,371	52,195	85,918
Registration	1,38 889	1,38,674	1,63,113	1,80,954	1,68,542	1,73,892	1,96,962	1,99,227	2,25,242	2,19,884
Opium	83,969	42,970	54,735	6[illegible],968	99,934	80,377	1,01,095	1,07,476	1,07,397	1,18,872
Salt (a)	23,61,105	25,88,931	29,04,750	26,58,525	31,10,528	28,02,359	27,94,531	31,54,724	...	..
Customs	7,90,397	14,31,218	8,51,751	4,56,147	5,06,254	7,46,944	10,11,210	11,09,278	10,04,500	10,04,101

(a) The figures relate to Tinnevelly subdivision. Statistics from 1924-25 are not furnished owing to changes in the territorial limits of subdivisions.

XXI.—Sea-borne Trade—(Total trade in each port).

Name of port.	Imports.					Exports.				
	1921-22.	1922-23.	1923-24.	1924-25.	1925-26.	1921-22.	1922-23.	1923-24.	1924-25.	1925-26.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
DHANUSHKODI.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Merchandise	55,60,025	55,39,860	59,02,923	54,18,613	54,90,327	2,25,76,718	2,12,80,209	2,15,42,373	2,19,10,579	2,42,28,160
Treasure	..	...	1,910	1,953	7,539	6,320	76,285	61,687	78,339	17,716
Total ...	55,60,025	55,39,860	59,04,833	54,20,566	54,97,866	2,25,83,039	2,13,56,494	2,16,04,060	2,19,88,918	2,42,45,876
DEVIPATNAM.										
Merchandise	1,76,125	50,821	70,714	71,521	86,429	73,103	9,463	4,766	27,008	7,994
KILAKARAI.										
Merchandise	2,89,862	5,18,560	3,93,779	2,58,738	4,04,349	59,215	49,807	40,116	33,041	38,741
PAMBAN.										
Merchandise	8,81,570	11,87,401	5,60,760	9,11,941	9,12,087	1,70,588	2,19,178	1,54,934	1,62,274	1,17,258
TONDI.										
Merchandise	9,62,647	8,60,636	3,35,788	6,48,949	7,31,143	1,31,620	37,271	44,587	82,160	26,287

XXI-A.—Sea-borne Trade—Chief Imports and Exports in selected ports.

(Average of five years ending 1925–26.)

Imports.

Name of port. (1)	Articles. (2)	Quantity. (3)	Value. (4)
			RS.
I.—Dhanushkodi.	Animals, living—		
	Horses .. .. No.	5	16,567
	Other kinds ... ... "	9	191
	Total ...	...	16,758
	Apparel (excluding hosiery and boots and shoes)—		
	Apparel (including drapery, uniforms, accoutrements)... val.	...	63,301
	Gold and silver thread ... "	...	7,25,454
	Other kinds ... ... "	...	5,610
	Total ...	...	7,94,365
	Fruits and vegetables—		
	Fresh fruits and vegetables ... val	...	20,260
	Fruits and vegetables dried, salted or preserved, not being canned or bottled ... tons.	8	2,032
	Total ...	...	22,292
	Grains, pulse and flour ... tons.	554	58,298

Exports.

Name of port (5)	Articles. (6)	Quantity. (7)	Value. (8)
			RS.
I.—Dhanushkodi.	Dyeing and tanning substances—		
	Turmeric ... . cwt.	1,729	41,460
	Other sorts ... ... "	5,566	30,208
	Total ...	...	71,668
	Fish (excluding canned fish)—		
	Fish, dry, unsalted ... ... cwt.	33,115	6,51,747
	Fish, dry, salted .. ... "	86,402	18,06,485
	Other kinds ... ... "	45	828
	Total ...	..	24,59,060
	Fruits and vegetables—		
	Fresh fruits ... ... val.	...	19,010
	Fresh vegetables of all kinds—		
	Onions ... ... cwt.	59,705	4,16,126
	Other kinds . ... val.	...	2,40,041
	Fruits and vegetables, dried, salted or preserved, all sorts. tons.	89	10,758
	Total ...	...	6,85,935

Port	Article	Unit	Quantity	Value
I.—Dhanushkodi—*cont.*	Hardware—			
	Excluding cutlery and electro-platedware	val.	...	1,00,281
	Hides and skins, raw—			
	Hides, raw	tons.	111	50,514
		No.	14,579	
	Skins, raw	tons.	242	3,39,192
		No.	112,431	
	Total ...		...	3,89,706
	Jewellery (excluding imitation jewellery and precious stones and pearls, unset), also plate of gold and silver—			
	Jewellery	val.	...	45,891
	Plate of gold and silver ...	„		2,932
	Total ...		...	48,823
	Leather—			
	Hides, tanned or dressed ...	tons.	17	26,976
		No.	5,095	
	Skins, tanned or dressed ..	tons.	1	2,073
		No.	701	
	Other sorts of leather ...	tons.	3	2,466
	Total ...		...	31,515
	Machinery and mill work—			
	Prime-movers (other than electrical) other than locomotives—			
	Oil engines	tons	1	11,871
	Others	val.	...	7,770

Port	Article	Unit	Quantity	Value
I.—Dhanushkodi—*cont.*	Grains, pulse and flour—			
	Rice not in the husk ...	tons.	24,615	52,01,404
	Other sorts	„	7,105	13,71,827
	Total ...		...	65,73,231
	Hardware and cutlery (including platedware) ...	val.	...	1,04,272
	Hides and skins, raw—			
	Hides, raw	tons.	12	4,704
		No.	664	
	Skins, raw—			
	Goat skins	tons	...	Nil.
		No.	...	
	Sheep skins	tons.	...	32
		No.	64	
	Other skins	tons.	...	73
		No.	148	
	Cuttings of hides and skins raw	cwt.	1	37
	Total ...		..	4,846
	Leather—			
	Hides, tanned or dressed ...	tons.	1	7,417
		No.	2,038	
	Skins, tanned or dressed—			
	Goat skins	tons.	0·4	2,481
		No.	2,380	
	Sheep skins	tons.	10	41,466
		No.	517,046	
	Other skins	tons.	0·4	2,232
		No.	1,764	
	Other kinds of leather ...	val.	...	10,383
	Total ...		...	63,929

XXI-A.—Sea-borne Trade—Chief Imports and Exports in selected ports—*cont.*

(Average of five years ending 1925–26)—*cont.*

Imports.

Name of port. (1)	Articles. (2)		Quantity. (3)	Value. (4)
I—Dhanushkodi—*cont.*				RS.
	Machinery and mill work—*cont.*			
	Electrical machinery of all kinds, not including instruments, apparatus, appliances, and parts thereof ...	val.	...	1,603
	Machinery, not being prime-movers or electrical machining—			
	Tea machinery	"	...	11,141
	Othersorts of machinery, excluding printing machinery	"	...	25,504
	Total ...		...	57,889
	Precious stones and pearls, unset—			
	Precious stones	val.	...	42,948
	Diamonds	"	...	85,895
	Other precious stones ...	"	...	17,887
	Pearls	"	...	1,521
	Total ...		...	1,48,251
	Spices—			
	Betelnuts	tons.	80,645	19,74,985
	All other sorts	"	387	15,195
	Total ...		...	19,90,180

Exports.

Name of port. (5)	Articles. (6)		Quantity (7)	Value. (8)
I—Dhanushkodi—*cont.*				RS.
	Manures—			
	Bones—			
	Crushed	tons.	30	2,541
	Uncrushed	"	108	7,882
	Bone-meal	"	1,185	1,04,483
	Fish-manures	"	25	3,100
	Fish-guano	"	24	3,150
	Other kinds	"	13	1,402
	Total ...		...	1,22,557
	Oils—			
	Animal	cwt. galls.	1 5	24
	Mineral (other kinds)... ...	"	20	61
	Essential—			
	Other sorts	cwt. galls.	134 12	42
	Vegetable non-essential—			
	Castor	cwt. galls.	21 223	310
	Groundnut	cwt. galls.	89 939	2,460
	Other sorts	cwt. galls.	115 1,197	3,672
	Other kinds of oil ...	cwt. galls.	23 278	948
	Total ...		...	7,217

I.—Daanushkodi—cont.

Sugar—			
16 Dutch standard and above.	tons.	414	1,27,561
Other kinds of sugar	,,	14	3,594
Total ...		...	1,31,155
Textiles—			
Cotton—			
Twist and Yarn—			
Grey (unbleached)—			
No. 1 to 10	lb.	28,295	13,278
No. 11 to 15	,,	1,600	1,835
No. 16 to 20	,,	1,608	1,319
No. 21 to 25 ...	,,	240	277
Other kinds of twist and yarn	,,	1,956	1,710
Piece-goods—			
Grey (unbleached)—			
Plain grey—			
Dhutis, saris and scarves	yds.	72,755	30,522
Other sorts	,,	18,709	6,679
Bordered grey	,,	4,012	1,992
White (bleached)—			
Mulls	,,	52,663	28,419
Other sorts	,,	63,478	36,041
Coloured printed or dyed—			
Printed goods—			
Printed and chintz ...	,,	17,129	11,493
Other sorts	,,	1,346	907

I — Dhanushkodi—cont.

Oil cakes—			
Castor cake	tons.	199	18,449
Groundnut cake	,,	6,241	6,49,702
Rape and sesamum cake ...	,,	1,948	2,65,574
Others	,,	155	20,718
Total ...		...	9,54,443
Provisions and oilman's stores—			
Ghee	cwt.	1,980	1,37,552
Other sorts	val.	...	1,04,507
Total ...		...	2,42,059
Rubber—			
Raw	lb.	71,264	85,526
Manufactures	val.	...	5,152
Total ...		...	90,678
Seeds—Oil seeds—			
Coriander	tons.	58	12,038
Groundnuts	,,	45	7,860
Other sorts	,,	82	3,723
Other than oil-seeds	,,	1	543
Total ..		...	24,159
Spices—			
Chillies	cwt.	1,038	30,659
Pepper	,,	80	2,626
Other sorts	,,	59	1,517
Total ...		...	34,802
Sugar—			
Sugar, 16 Dutch standard and above	tons.	18	14,825
Sugar, 15 Dutch standard and below	,,	147	38,509

XXI-A.—Sea-borne Trade—Chief Imports and Exports in selected ports—*cont.*

(Average of five years ending 1925-26)—*cont.*

Imports.

Name of port. (1)	Articles. (2)		Quantity. (3)	Value. (4)
				RS.
I.—Dhanushkodi—*cont.*	Piece-goods—*cont.*			
	Coloured printed or dyed—*cont.*			
	Dyed goods ...	yds.	12,480	9,479
	Woven coloured goods ...	„	55,634	45,116
	Other sorts of manufactures	val.	...	9,380
	Other kinds of cotton (Textiles)	„	...	86
	Jute—			
	Gunny bags	No.	1,703,520	4,55,076
	Other kinds	val.	...	902
	Other kinds of textiles ...	„	..	25,724
	Total ...		...	6,80,235
	Postal articles not specified elsewhere	val.	...	7,36,447

Exports.

Name of port. (5)	Articles. (6)		Quantity. (7)	Value. (8)
				RS.
I.—Dhanushkodi—*cont.*	Sugar—*cont*			
	Confectionery	tons.	29	25,474
	Other sorts	„	20	9,313
	Total ...		...	88,121
	Tea—			
	Black	tons.	140,111	1,34 199
	Textiles—			
	Cotton—			
	Raw	tons. / bales.	9 / 51	8,733
	Twist and Yarn—			
	Grey (all counts)	lb.	878	587
	Orange, red and other colours (all counts) ...	„	457	375
	White (bleached)	„	997	836
	Unspecified descriptions of twist and yarn	„	46,569	55,560

I.—Dhanushkodi—*cont.*

All other articles of merchandise—			
Unmanufactured	val.	...	59,746
Manufactured	„	...	8,17,008
Grand total (excluding Government Stores).		...	55,82,349
Government Stores—			
Hardware and cutlery (including Agricultural implement and platedware).	val.	...	37
Liquors—			
Spirit	galls.	7	28
Textiles—			
Wool—			
Manufacture—			
Other sorts	lb.	120	82
All other articles—			
Manufactured	val.	...	312
Total value of Government Stores.		...	454
Grand total including Government Stores		...	55,82,803

I.—Dhanushkodi—*cont.*

Manufactures—			
Piece-goods—			
Grey (unbleached) ...	yds.	65,273	35,667
White (bleached)	„	47,888	28,463
Coloured, printed or dyed.	„	125,542	58,613
Lungis and saris	„	1,266,498	7,94,921
Drills and jeans	„	5,883	3,518
Other sorts	„	3,946,851	24,64,228
Other sorts of manufactures	val.	...	23,772
Other sorts of cotton ...	„	...	5,718
Other sorts of textiles ...	„	...	54,061
Total ...		...	35,80,082
Tobacco—			
Unmanufactured	lb	2,009	1,485
Manufactured—			
Cigars	„	22,209	21,642
Cigarettes	„	39,803	44,321
Other sorts	„	45,781	43,915
Total ...		...	1,11,313
Postal Articles	val.	...	66,80,401
All other articles of merchandise—			
Unmanufactured	val.	..	1,00,500
Manufactured	„	..	8,34,139
Grand total ...		...	2,28,17,611

XXI-A.—Sea-borne Trade—Chief Imports and Exports in selected ports—*cont.*

(Average of five years ending 1925-26)—*cont.*

Imports.

Name of port. (1)	Articles. (2)		Quantity. (3)	Value. (4)
				RS.
II.—Devipatnam.	Grain, Pulse and Flour—			
	Rice in the husk	tons.	680	62,252
	Pulse	"	3	400
	Salt	"	3	240
	Seeds—			
	Coriander	"	1	300
	Stone and marble	"	79	590
	Wood and Timber	val.	...	63
	Other articles	"	...	18,779
	Total ...		...	82,624
III.—Kilakarai.	Grain, Pulse and Flour—			
	Pulse	tons.	82	13,499
	Rice in the husk	"	1,708	1,60,230
	Rice not in the husk	"	758	1,33,651
	Oil, Minerals—			
	Kerosene	galls.	2,362	2,412
	Jute—			
	Gunny bags	Nos.	2,208	441
	Sugar	tons.	21	2,276
	Wood and Timber	val.	...	5,673
	Other articles	"	...	73,056
	Total ...		...	3,01,237

Exports.

Name of port. (5)	Articles. (6)		Quantity. (7)	Value. (8)
				RS.
II.—Devipatnam.	Grain, Pulse and Flour—			
	Rice in the husk (paddy) ...	tons.	143	17,789
	Other articles	val.	...	36,948
	Total ...		...	54,687
III.—Kilakarai.	Animals, living—			
	Other kinds	No.	266	1,331
	Drugs and medicines—			
	Other sorts	val.	...	1,075
	Shells and cowries	"	...	2,604
	Stone and marble	tons.	1,765	10,733
	Textiles—			
	Jute, manufactures—			
	Gunny bags	No.	9,589	2,281
	Wood and Timber—			
	Firewood	tons.	1,661	20,874
	Other articles	val.	...	34,380
	Total ...		...	73,878

Port	Article	Unit	Quantity	Value
IV.—Pamban.	Coal	... tons.	31,511	4,68,745
	Grain, Pulse and Flour—			
	Pulse	„	13	2,771
	Rice in the husk	„	3,084	2,93,376
	Rice not in the husk	„	866	62,361
	Salt	„	29	1,430
	Tobacco—			
	Unmanufactured	lb.	1,008	300
	Jute—			
	Gunny bags	No.	2,890	722
	Wood and timber	val.	...	595
	Other articles	„	.	63,505
	Total ...		...	8,93,807
V.—Tondi.	Furniture and cabinetware ...	val.	...	[illegible],051
	Building and Engineering materials.	„	...	28,952
	Grain, Pulse and Flour—			
	Rice in the husk...	tons.	667	65,310
	Oils—			
	Mineral—Kerosene	galls.	2,093	1,787
	Spices—			
	Betelnuts	cwts.	561	11,021
	Stone and marble	tons.	117	786
	Jute—			
	Gunny-bags	No.	557	139
	Wood and timber	val.	...	6,15,645
	Other articles	„	...	19,594
	Total ...		...	7,44,185

Port	Article	Unit	Quantity	Value
IV.—Pamban.	Grain, Pulse and Flour—			
	Rice in the husk (paddy) ...	tons.	495	59,714
	Fruits and Vegetables—			
	Coconuts	No.	129,280	7,635
	Shells and cowries	val.	...	46,371
	Stone and marble	tons.	1,778	13,898
	Wood and Timber—			
	Firewood	„	273	2,839
	Other articles	val.	..	34,888
	Total ...		...	1,64,845
V.—Tondi.	Grain, Pulse and Flour—			
	Rice in the husk (paddy) ...	tons.	398	47,178
	Rice not in the husk	„	12	1,626
	Salt	„	20	984
	Wood and timber—			
	Teakwood	c. tons.	65	12,010
	Firewood	tons.	28	340
	Other articles	val.	...	5,237
	Total ...		...	68,234

XXII.—Income and Expenditure of Local Boards in 1925–26.

Items.	District Board.	Taluk Boards.				Union Boards.	Total of all Boards.
		Rāmnād.	Sivaganga.	Devakottai.	Sivakasi.		
A.—GENERAL ACCOUNT	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Receipts—Ordinary.							
(1) Taxation and miscellaneous revenue ...	2,39,326	56,004	89,948	64,943	50,101	2,02,004	7,02,326
(2) Government grants excluding grants in aid of general resources.	97,154	7,238	279	3,147	7,305	...	1,15,123
(3) Endowments and contributions	1,723	..	2,247	399	600	...	4,969
(4) Remunerative enterprises	59,568	2,529	2,728	336	2,859	41,633	1,09,723
(5) Other receipts	2,59,034	1,655	2,193	987	141	22,238	2,86,248
Total ...	6,56,805	67,426	97,465	69,812	61,006	2,65,875	12,18,389
(6) *Deduct*—Contribution from General Account—Ordinary—to—							
(i) Lighting Account—Ordinary ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
(ii) Elementary Education Account—Ordinary.	...	10,680	15,250	9,010	12,947	...	47,887
(iii) Water-supply and Drainage Account—Ordinary.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(7) Receipts—Ordinary—General Account.	6,56,805	56,746	82,215	60,802	48,059	2,65,875	11,70,501
(8) Total ordinary expenditure	4,48,846	47,755	43,960	40,253	36,456	2,50,941	8,68,211
(9) Surplus or deficit	+2,07,959	+8,991	+38,255	+20,549	+11,603	+14,934	+3,02,291
(10) Government grant in aid of general resources.	.	...	...	...	...	..	...
(11) Net surplus or deficit	+2,07,959	+8,991	+38,255	+20,549	+11,603	+14,934	+3,02,291

B.—General Account.

Capital.

(12) Government grants	...	5,000	1,977	...	...	...	6,977
(13) Endowments and contributions	1,370	...	5,780	5,000	5,150	350	17,650
(14) Loans	51,600	...	..	...	...	6,000	57,600
(15) Other receipts	1,558	120	...	..	...	...	1,678
(16) Total receipts	54,528	5,120	7,757	5,000	5,150	6,350	83,905
(17) Total expenditure	1,64,996	6,592	11,848	11,943	13,484	19,274	2,28,137
(18) Net expenditure [item (17) *minus* item (16)].	1,10,468	1,472	4,091	6,943	8,334	12,924	1,44,232
(19) *Add*—Contributions from General Account—Ordinary—to—							
(i) Lighting Account—Capital ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(ii) Elementary Education Account—Capital.	...	...	12,200	...	209	...	12,409
(iii) Water-supply and Drainage Account—Capital.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(20) Total capital expenditure from general revenues.	* 39,728	1,472	16,291	6,943	8,543	12,924	85,896
(21) Net surplus or deficit after meeting capital expenditure [item (11) *minus* item (20)].	+1,68,236	+7,519	+21,964	+13,606	+3,060	+2,010	+2,16,395
(22) Opening balance	2,04,570	19,921	33,433	18,344	21,652	63,018	3,60,938
(23) Closing balance	3,72,806	27,440	55,397	31,950	24,712	65,028	5,77,333
(24) Difference [item (23) *minus* item (22)].	+1,68,236	+7,519	+21,964	+13,606	+3,060	+2,010	+2,16,395

* Rupees 70,745 met from capital balance.

XXIII.—Income and Expenditure of Municipalities in 1925-26

Items.	Sivakasi.	Srivilliputtur.	Virudhunagar.
A. General Account—Receipts—Ordinary—	RS.	RS.	RS.
(1) Taxation and miscellaneous revenue.	13,074	24,326	44,310
(2) Government grants excluding grants in-aid of general resources.	...	...	...
(3) Endowments and contributions ...	...	884	3,682
(4) Remunerative enterprises	3,111	4,574	7,644
(5) Other receipts	23,115	30,152	52,431
Total ..	39,300	59,936	1,10,314
(6) *Deduct* contribution from General Account—Ordinary—to—			
(i) Lighting Account—Ordinary.	...	...	...
(ii) *Elementary Education* Account—Ordinary	439	5,606	2,660
(iii) Water-supply and Drainage Account—Ordinary.	...	500†	...
(7) Receipts — Ordinary — General Account.	38,861	53,830	1,07,654
(8) Total ordinary expenditure ...	29,373	45,082	67,843
(9) Surplus or deficit	+9,488	+8,748	+39,811
(10) Government grant-in-aid of general resources.	...	...	...
(11) Net surplus or deficit	+9,488	+8,748	+39,811
B. *General Account—Capital—*			
(12) Government grants	...	...	...
(13) Endowments and contributions ...	..	...	...
(14) Loans	...	...	33,000
(15) Other receipts	...	319	..
(16) Total receipts	...	319	33,000
(17) Total expenditure	3,593	759	60,603
(18) Net expenditure [item (17) *minus* item (16)].	3,593	440	27,603
(19) *Add* contributions from General Account—Ordinary—to—			
(i) *Lighting Account—Capital.*	...	...	...
(ii) Elementary Education Account—Capital.	...	...	5,250
(iii) Water-supply and Drainage Account—Capital.	...	.	...
(20) Total Capital expenditure from general revenues.	3,593	440	*36,642
(21) Net surplus or deficit after meeting *capital expenditure* [item (11) *minus* item (20).]	+5,895	+8,308	+3,169
(22) Opening balance	15,395	15,163	31,473
(23) Closing balance	21,290	23,471	34,642
(24) Difference [item (23) *minus* item (22)].	+5,895	+8,308	+3,169

	RS.	RS.	RS.
NOTE.—Arrears (both tax and non-tax items).	Nil.	1,688	1,426
Unpaid bills	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.

* Rupees 3,789 treated as balance under capital.

† Depreciation Funds.

XXIV.—Education in 1921.

Taluks.	Number of literates.		Literates per thousand of population.		Literates in English.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females	Males.	Females.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION.						
Sivaganga.	23,092	1,526	242	14	1,690	67
Tiruppattur... ...	26,367	1,756	241	14	928	58
Tiruvadanai ...	11,540	1,207	153	13	285	17
RĀMNĀD DIVISION.						
Aruppukkottai ...	24,827	1,635	234	14	703	37
Mudukulattur ..	12,973	599	175	6	309	38
Paramagudi ...	10,922	734	158	9	469	32
Rāmnād	12,892	1,252	228	18	1,286	109
SIVAKASI DIVISION.						
Sāttūr	28,868	2,494	235	19	1,860	118
Srivillipattūr ...	22,031	1,710	199	15	1,444	57
District total ..	173,512	12,913	211	14	9,074	513
Hindus	153,168	9,596	209	12	7,861	181
Mussalmans	11,596	800	244	10	283	39
Christians	8,741	2,517	214	56	929	293
Others	7	...	636	...	1	...

XXV.—Schools and Scholars on the 31st March 1926.

Class of institutions.	Number of institutions.							Number of scholars.		
	Government.	Municipal.	Local Fund	Native States.	Aided.	Unaided.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Public.										
Arts Colleges—Men.	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arts Colleges—Women.	...	..	.	...	..	...	...	...	..	...
Professional Colleges—Men.	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...
Professional Colleges—Women.	...	...	...	..	.	..	...	...	...	...
(a) Secondary Schools for boys.	...	...	2	...	18	..	20	4,955	78	5,033
(a) Secondary Schools for Girls.	.	.	..	..	...	...	...	...	..	...
(b) Elementary Schools for boys.	8	16	275	.	963	109	1,371	61,213	4,835	66,048
(b) Elementary Schools for girls.	1	3	71	...	48	3	126	273	7,405	7,678
Training Schools for masters.	2	..	1	..	...	..	3	206	..	206
Training Schools for mistresses.	...	...		..	..	...	...	...	...	...
Other special Schools.	1	...	..	...	..	1	2	52	...	52
Total ...	12	19	349	...	1,029	113	1,522	66,699	12,318	79,017
Private.										
Advanced ...	...		...	...	...	42	42	489	41	530
Elementary ...	...	..	...	...	...	109	109	2,831	320	3,151
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	151	151	3,320	361	3,681
Grand total ...	12	19	349	...	1,029	264	1,673	70,019	12,679	82,698

(a) Includes European High and Middle Schools.
(b) Includes European Primary Schools.

XXVI.—Expenditure on Schools in 1925-26.

Nature of management.	Expenditure on all classes of schools.		Colleges.		Secondary Schools.		Elementary schools.		Training schools.		Technical and industrial schools.	
	Total.	Net.	Total expenditure.	Net expenditure.	Total expenditure.	Net expenditure.	Total expenditure.	Net expenditure.	Total expenditure.	Net expenditure.	Total expenditure.	Net expenditure.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Government	40,891	39,672	...	..	...		6,903	6,422	32,488	31,878	1,500	1,372
Local Boards	1,93,578	88,533	...		18,080	4,202	1,74,314	83 147	1,184	1,184	..	...
Municipal Boards	14,004	8,745	...	...	...	...	14,004	8,745	...	...	...	...
Aided	5,65,966	2,23,379	...	.	2,02,456	74,445	3,63,510	1,48,934	...	...		
Unaided	12,685	8,854	..	.	..	...	11,918	8,715		...	667	139
Private	94,040	84,488		..	76,516	72,786	17,524	11,752	.			
District total ..	9,21,061	4,53,671	..	...	2,97,052	1,51,383	5,88,173	2,67,715	33,672	33,062	2,167	1,511
Receipts (taken in abatement of charges in working out net expenditure) from—												
Provincial funds	...	3,04,023	...	...	..	49,275	..	2,54,748	..	..	...	...
Local funds	..	304	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	304	...	...
Municipal funds	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fees	...	1,37,939	...	...	...	86,397	...	50,863	..	23	...	656
Endowments	...	7,366	...	...	...	7,036	...	330	...	...	...	...
Subscriptions	...	17,478	...	...	...	2,961		11,517	...	...	...	..
Other sources	...	283	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	283	..	...

XXVII.—Hospitals and Dispensaries in 1925.

Name of dispensary.	Of what class.	In-patients. Number of beds available. Men.	Women.	Daily average number. Men.	Women.	Children. Male.	Children. Female.	Total.	Out-patients. Average daily attendance. Men.	Women.	Children. Male.	Children. Female.	Total.	Total number of patients treated both indoor and outdoor.	Total expenditure during the year.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
A															Rs
Râmnād 1918	I ...	24	13	14·64	7 16	2·30	54	24·64	56·80	31·43	16·84	13·14	118·21	15 685	12,575
Aruppukōttai ... 1891	III ...	...		...	...	...	...		26·86	13·52	10·56	9·25	60·19	10,895	3,456
Dēvakōttai ... 1881	III ..	...	...	...		...		...	39·12	15·34	8·72	0·80	69·98	10,469	3,076
Dhanushkodi ... 1918	III .	...	...	...	...		...	...	13·53	6·14	4·37	2·66	26·70	5,934	3 118
Ilayangudi ... 1904	III .		...		...	...	...	...	19·84	6·71	4·68	4·23	35·46	8,377	3,361
Kamudi 1831	III ...	...	...		...	...	...	...	21·50	8·25	8·45	7·47	45·07	7,648	3,742
Karaikudi .. 1890	III ..	...		...	...	...	...	...	45·05	21·55	9·66	9·03	85·29	11,816	2,947
Kilakarai 1884	III	...		...	...	...	...	...	36·66	13·17	19·38	14·63	83·84	9,(03	2,887
Kondanoor 1925	III	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20·81	15·39	4·35	3·65	44·20	1,253	2,539
Manamadura ... 1870	III	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40·84	18·16	14·56	11·31	84·87	14,609	4,469
Mandapam .. 1925	III ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21·49	12·37	7·63	5·72	47·21	2,099	956
Mudukulattūr .. 1889	III ..	...	...	...		...	...		22·18	0·75	6 63	6·54	45·10	6 669	3,111
Paramakudi .. 1876	III	...	...	...	...	...		...	35·78	24·13	14·92	13·11	87·94	13,988	2,980
Rajapalaiyam .. 1921	III ..		...	...	...	...	...	...	44·22	15·49	11·09	9·48	80·28	18,563	4,155
Rāmēswaram ... 1915	III .	10	6	7·61	5·18	·41	·51	13·71	36·91	22·63	13·31	12·06	84 91	10 920	6,005
Sāttūr 1878	III ..	2	2	1·67	·25	·02	...	1 94	39 08	14·66	7·96	6·47	68·17	10,706	4,617
Seitur George V Coronation Dispensary. 1913	IV ...	...		...		...	...	...	16·24	7·50	6·00	3·50	33·24	6,226	2,823
Sivaganga ... 1853	III ...	9	6	9·61	3·38	·54	·04	13·57	52·00	24·54	15·39	9·93	101·86	14,748	11,703
Sivakāsi 1906	III	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·06	14·48	11·76	8·78	64·08	9,511	1,785
Srivilliputtūr ... 1891	III .	8	8	2·54	·46	·07	·01	3·08	59·09	20·19	16·72	15 29	111 29	21,706	5,981
Tirupuvanam ... 1880	III ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18·15	9 93	8·10	6·91	43·15	7,790	3,168
Tiruppattūr ... 1882	III .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49·91	25·67	22·29	19·17	117·04	15,673	2,942

Tiruvadanai ...	1924	III ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·25	15·02	4·41	3·68	51·81	7,989	4,793
Tondi	1898	III ..	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	29·95	11·36	11·70	7·28	60·27	7,788	4,031
Virudhunagar ...	1877	III ...	4	4	5·96	2·62	·44	·03	9·05	73·28	16·01	15·54	7·81	112·64	15,978	11,375
Sivakasi Special Police Force Dispensary * ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	.	3·77	0·27	0·10	0·06	4·20	625	...
Tiruppattūr Swedish Mission Hospital.	1916	IV ...	19	19	1·49	·09	·03	·02	2·14	65·85	38·86	10·85	9·25	125·81	46,802	25,064
Watrap	1916	III ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	83·01	15·01	12·33	10·68	71·03	9,846	3,204
B																
Devakōttai Lady Pentland's (Women and Children's Dispensary)	1920	III ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	16·10	7·60	8·02	31·90	11,680	4,402
Sivaganga (Women and Children's Dispensary) ..	1925	III ..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	33·49	15·70	16·06	65·25	3,839	2,938
Kanadukathan Lady Pentland (Women and Children's Hospital) .	1925	III ...	...	18	...	3·20	·15	·36	3 71	...	18·46	3·29	5·08	26·83	3,694	2,297
Virudhunagar (Women and Children's Hospital) ...	1924	III ...	...	...	...	4·00	...	...	4·00	22 00	43·80	16 05	16·13	97·98	6,857	5,319
District total, Class A (General Dispensaries) ...	...	...	76	50	48·52	19·95	3·81	1·15	68·43	979·23	448·58	298·36	237·79	1,963·96	318,877	14,956

* Maintained by Police Department. The expenditure in 1925 was Rs. 1,077.

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XXVII.—Hospitals and Dispensaries in 1925—*cont.*

Name of dispensary.	Of what class.	In-patient. Number of beds available. Men.	Women	Daily average number. Men.	Women.	Children. Male.	Female	Total.	Out-patients. Average daily attendance. Men.	Women.	Children. Male.	Female.	Total.	Total number of patients treated both indoor and outdoor.	Total expenditure during the year.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
															RS.
District total, Class B (Female Dispensaries)	...	...	18	..	7·20	·15	·36	7·71	22·00	111·85	42·64	45·47	221·96	26,070	1,43,160
Combined District total	...	76	68	43 52	27·15	3·96	1·51	76·14	1,001·23	560·43	341·00	288·26	2,13 5·92	344,947	1,58,116

CLASSES I AND II.—These include all institutions maintained by Provincial Funds and under Government management. The fact that an institution possesses endowments or receives contributions from Local Funds or private subscriptions should not be regarded as a reason for not classing it as "State" so long as Provincial and Imperial Funds are practically responsible for all the charges connected with it. Class I—"Public" are State dispensaries which are open to the poorer classes of the public Class II are State dispensaries which serve only a special section of the public as indicated in the sub-classification attached.

CLASS III.—Local Fund dispensaries include all institutions which are vested in Local Boards or Municipalities or guaranteed or maintained by Local or Municipal Funds. The fact that such an institution is aided by private subscriptions, or receives assistance from Government in the shape of part of the salary of the medical officer, grants of medicine, or otherwise, should not be regarded as a reason for not classing it as a Local Fund dispensary so long as its existence is practically dependent upon Local Funds.

CLASS IV.—Comprises institutions supported by private subscriptions or guarantee, but receiving aid from Government or Local Funds.

CLASS V.—Comprises institutions maintained entirely at the cost of private individuals or associations. The fact that Government supplies superior inspection or registers should not be regarded as a reason for not treating it as a private non-aided dispensary.

CLASS VI.—Comprises all Railway Dispensaries whether maintained by State Railways or others.

XXVIII.—Vaccination.

Name of revenue taluks.	Number of persons successfuly vaccinated.			Registered birth-rate per 1,000 of population.			Average number of successful cases of vaccination on children under one year during the three years ending 1925–26.
	1923–24.	1924–25.	1925–26.	1923–24.	1924–25.	1925–26.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
DEVAKOTTAI DIVISION.							
Sivaganga	5,589	5,448	5,879	17·85	20·05	15·80	1,231
Tiruppattur	4,542	4,049	6,944	17·69	19 33	18·12	940
Tiruvadanai	2,485	3,857	5,259	13 95	18 54	12 66	918
RAMNAD DIVISION.							
Aruppukkōttai	5,920	5,800	8,722	25 29	31·29	28·10	2,733
Mudukulattur	5,921	7,613	6,269	23 84	33·15	27 88	2,185
Paramagudi	4,563	4,528	7,473	30·22	32·80	25·88	1,151
Rāmnād	3,266	2,669	3,539	27 66	31 32	29·29	1,641
SIVAKASI DIVISION.							
Sattūr	5,745	6,126	7,636	26·49	30·07	31·99	3,147
Srivilliputtur	6,130	5,222	5,658	31 50	33 63	33 05	2,843
MUNICIPALITIES							
Sivakasi	674	527	652	25·07	28·00	35·07	620
Srivillipattūr	814	830	692	40 61	40·71	39·62	950
Virudhunagar	747	1,484	1,449	38·04	39·46	42·67	511
District total ..	46,396	48,153	60,172	24·2	28·5	27·08	4,058

XXIX.—Civil Justice.

(Average of the statistics for the years 1916—1925.)

Class of Courts.	Number of all original suits disposed of.	Average value of suits of which value was estimable in money.	Number of appealable decrees passed in disposed of cases	Appeals preferred.	Appeals decided.	Decisions confirmed.	Percentage of decisions confirmed to total disposals.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Village Courts	2,714	25	...	...	...	..	...
Do. Bench Courts ...	542(a)	17	...	...	...	...	...
Do. Panchayat Courts.	5,212(b)	37	.	...	...	. .	..
Revenue Courts	4,716	64	3,196	513	422	140	33
District Munsif's Courts .	4,867	200	3,745	458	408	262	64
Subordinate Judge's Courts.	269	2,638	167	29	25	14	56
District Judge's Court .	14	12,453	.	...	...	...	...

(a) Average for 6 years from 1916 to 1921

(b) Do. for 4 years from 1922 to 1925.

The District Munsifs and Sub-Judges have disposed of 66,566 and 17,011 small cause suits, respectively, during the ten years.

XXX.—Criminal Justice.

(Number of persons convicted of certain offences in each of the ten years 1916–1925.)

Offences.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919	1920.	1921	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
Murder	4	9	16	18	37	13	15	11	3	18
Culpable homicide ...	...	4	1	4	...	9	3	6	4	4
Hurts and assaults	247	211	194	192	272	274	281	312	399	376
Other offences against the person.	28	5	17	10	11	7	15	15	26	65
Dacoity	14	1	2	68	83	12	18	32	34	23
Robbery	22	34	11	34	20	16	10	16	15	12
House breaking ..	11	46	30	29	42	59	34	33	52	18
Cattle theft ...	80	66	59	87	67	79	45	52	60	51
Other theft .. .	203	203	185	250	241	257	265	190	244	239
Other charges against property.	87	134	108	79	98	68	142	181	100	129
Offences against public tranquility (Chapter VIII).	224	302	153	110	217	152	280	250	308	380
Other offences against the Penal Code.	676	583	582	321	644	477	327	196	318	622
Total ..	1,596	1,598	1,358	1,202	1 732	1,443	1,435	1,294	1,563	1,737
Security for keeping the peace and for good behaviour.	72	76	68	69	71	124	129	54	56	74
Offences under the Madras Salt Act, IV of 1889		2	..	2	.	21	9	20	15	18
Offences under the Madras Abkāri Act, I of 1886.	169	76	49	127	127	115	121	134	107	121
Offences under the Madras Forest Act, V of 1882.	347	205	145	104	179	349	285	274	390	238
Offences under the District Municipalities Act.	346	442	493	356	340	302	184	148	176	184
Other offences against Special and Local Laws.	3,845	4.390	3,928	4,743	5,404	4,429	4 009	4,061	4,694	4,917
Grand total ..	6,375	6,789	6,081	6,603	7,858	6,783	6,172	5,985	7,001	7,289

XXXI.—Work of Criminal Courts.

(Average of the statistics for the ten years 1916 to 1925.)

Class of Courts. (1)	Number of original cases instituted. (2)	Number of appeals received. (3)
Village Magistrates	604	..
Village Panchayat Courts	...	...
Bench Magistrates	3,870	...
Special Magistrates	210	...
Stipendiary Subordinate Magistrates	3,769	...
Deputy, Assistant and Joint Magistrates	486	186
District Magistrate	5	30
Court of Sessions	57	65

XXXII.—Police and Jails in 1926.

Taluks	Number of Police		Police Force.								
	Stations.	Out-posts.	Inspectors.	Sub-Inspectors.	Head constables.	Constables.	Police talaiyaris.	Revenue talaiyaris.	Number of known depredators.	Number of sub-jails.	Total accommodation in them.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Devakkottai Division.											
Sivaganga.											
Sivaganga	...	...	1	1	3	23		..	10	1	16
Manamadurai	...	.	...	1	2	15	..	4	5	...	..
Tiruppuvanam	..	..	..	1	1	11	..	1	2	.	...
Madagupatti	..		...	1	1	10	..	1	6	...	..
Tiruppattur.											
Karakudi	...	...	1	1	8	22	...	3	2	1	24
Sakkottai Kottamangalam.	...	..	...	1	3	9	.	1	3	..	..
Tiruppattur Kilasevendapatti.	...	...	...	1	4	24	...	4	0	..	...
Nerkoppai Karisolpatti.	..	...	...	1	2	10	..	1	8	..	...
Tiruvadanai.											
Tiruvadanai Tondi.	...	...	...	1	8	18	...	1	5	1	16
Rajasingamangalam.	...	...	...	1	1	8	...	1	11		...
Kalayarkoil	...	..	...	1	1	10	...		2	...	...
Devakkottai Velayudapatnam.	...	...	1	1	4	25	...	4	8	..	...

XXXII.—Police and Jails in 19.6 *cont.*

Taluks.	Number of Police		Police Force.								
	Stations.	Out-posts.	Inspectors.	Sub-Inspectors.	Head constables.	Constables.	Police talayaris.	Revenue talayaris.	Number of known depredators.	Number of sub-jails.	Total accommodation in them.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
Rāmnād Division.											
Aruppukkottai.											
Aruppukkottai Tiruchuli.	...	...	1	1	5	34	...	2	4	1	15
Pandalgudi	...	...	...	1	1	11	...	1	2	...	...
Kariyapatti ...	...	..	...	1	1	9	...	1	5	.	...
Narikkudi	...	...	.	1	1	10	...	..	...	...	...
Mudukulattur.											
Mudukulattur Kadaladi.	...		1	1	2	17	..	4	6	1	18
Sikkal	.	..	..	1	1	8	...	2	8	...	...
Sayalkudi Perunali.	...	...	..	1	2	12	...	1	4	...	...
Kamudhi	...	.	...	1	2	14	...	2	5		...
Paramagudi.											
Paramagudi ...	...	..	...	1	3	17	...	2	2	1	9
Ilyangudi Nainarkoil.	..	...	.	1	3	10	...	3	2	..	...
Rāmnād	.	..	1	1	4	25	...	2	3	1	18
Rameswaram, Dhanushkodi.	..	...	...	1	3	13	..	3	1	..	...
Mandapam .	...	..	...	1	1	8	..	1	...		...
Sivakasi Division											
Sattur.											
Sattur	...	...	1	1	3	29	...	3	8	1	26
Vembalkottai, Elainur Pannai.	...	...	...	1	2	13	...	1	4	...	..
Virdhunagar, Amattur.	...	...	...	1	4	26	...	3	9	...	..
Vachakarapatti ...	..	..	...	1	1	10	..	1	2	...	...
Sivakasi	...	..	...	1	2	18	...	3	5	...	...
Srivilliputtur											
Srivilliputtur ...	...	...	1	1	4	34	...	8	4	1	24
Rajapalaiyam ...	..	.	1	1	2	18	..	8	3	...	...
Watrap, Nathanpatti.	..	...	.	1	3	15	...	2	1	...	...
District total ...	...	...	8	33	79	586	.	64	150	9	166

XXXIII.—Income-tax.

Income-tax. Under the Income-tax Act of 1886 all incomes of Rs. 500 a year and upwards were liable to taxation. The taxable minimum was raised to Rs. 1,000 in 1903 and to Rs. 2,000 in 1919. The maximum rate of tax was 5 pies in the rupee till 1916 when it was raised to 12 pies. In 1921 the maximum was raised to 16 pies in the rupee. In 1917 the Supertax Act was passed by which an additional tax varying from one anna in the rupee to three annas in the rupee was levied on incomes in excess of Rs. 50,000. In 1921 the maximum rate of supertax was raised to 4 annas The Income-tax Act was amended in 1918 and the Supertax Act in 1920. The law relating to income-tax and supertax was further revised and consolidated by the Income-tax Act, 1922, which with minor alterations is now in force. The maximum rate of income-tax was raised in 1922 to 18 pies in the rupee and the maximum rate of supertax to 6 annas in the rupee. The rates are not now laid down in the Act, but are prescribed from year to year by the Finance Act.

The income-tax revenue was till 1922 administered by the Madras Board of Revenue subject to the control of the Local Government. It is now administered directly by the Government of India through the Central Board of Revenue at Delhi and a Commissioner for the province.

Years	Number of assessees.	Amount of income-tax demand.	Incidence of tax.	
			Per head of assessee.	Per head of population.
		RS.	RS.	RS. A. P.
1922–23	2,863	16,61,248	580	0 15 5
1923–24	3,614	10,78,023	298	0 10 0
1924–25	3,872	9,16,749	236	0 8 6
1925–26	4,352	10,11,815	232	0 9 5
1926–27	4,628	12,68,902	274	0 11 9

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